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NEGRO HANGED THEN BURNED

Terre Haute Mob Batters Down Jail Doors and String Up George Ward.

LIVING BODY THROWN INTO FIRE

Mob's Work Done in Midday After a Fight With Jail Officials---Ward's Crime Was Murder of Ida Finkelstein---Had Made Confession.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 26—George Ward, a colored man, aged twenty-seven years, was taken from the Vigo county jail here shortly after noon today by an infuriated mob and lynched. He was first hanged to a bridge and afterward his body was thrown into a huge bonfire and cremated.

Ward, who was formerly employed in the car works here, was arrested here today and charged with the robbery, assault and murder of Ida Finkelstein, the school teacher, who was found dying last evening in a grove outside the city.

A MOB GATHERS.

The news of the crime had wrought the people of this city to a high pitch of indignation and when the report of Ward's confession of his guilt of the monstrous crime spread among the people popular fury knew no bounds.

At 12:30 this afternoon a mob desperately infuriated gathered in front of the county jail, where Ward had been taken for safety and began an assault on the prison with the purpose of seizing the murderer and lynching him.

The mob battered down the outer door, when Jailer Lawrence Odell appeared with a shotgun and fired over the heads of the mob in a vain effort to stampede them. The mob replied to the shots from the jail and three deputy sheriffs were wounded by shots from the crowd.

MOB REINFORCED.

Ward's confession was passed through the streets and the crowd, reinforced by hundreds of recruits, redoubled its attack on the jail.

At 12:45 they succeeded in reaching Ward's cell.

He was quickly dragged out to the street and lynched.

The sheriff was absent when the mob descended upon the jail. His deputies put up a vigorous resistance and at first appeared to have successfully beaten off the crowd; but, on the second onslaught, the infuriated mob, variously estimated at from two to three thousand in number, swept away all obstacles.

Ward was dragged from his cell, a rope was placed around his neck and he was dragged down the street to a wagon bridge spanning the Wabash river.

On the way to the bridge, three blocks distant, Ward was beaten with clubs and repeatedly shot at.

THROWN INTO FLAMES.

He was unconscious and, in all probability, dead when the loose end of the rope was tied to a timber of the bridge and his body swung out over the stream. A strand of the rope suddenly broke and the leaders, fearing their prey might drop into the river, hastily drew the body back upon the bridge.

It was dragged across to the west side. A huge bonfire was quickly built, the body was thrown upon the pyre and in a short time was burned to a crisp.

BURNING OF THE NEGRO.

Ward's body was laid across the fire, the feet projecting from one side and the head from the other.

Members of the mob were dissatisfied with the conflagration, however, and quantities of oil and turpentine were poured upon the pile. The flames leaped higher and higher and in a short time little was left of the negro.

A vast crowd witnessed the final act of the lynching. When the mob dragged Ward to the bridge and prepared to hang him a great crowd collected along the river side. This kept on increasing in size, as the thousands of men, women and children hurried to the scene.

VAST CROWD SEES TRAGEDY.

After it was determined to burn the negro a bar was placed across the bridge to prevent the crowd from pressing closer and when the fire was lighted and the body thrown into the flames, the east bank of the river, the bridges up and down the stream, and hundreds of housetops were black with spectators from whom not a word of pity escaped, although many deprecated the burning of the body.

Those who took an active part in the lynching made no attempt to disguise.

NEGRO PROBABLY CRAZY.

Ward had recently been discharged from an insane asylum as cured, and apparently was yet demented. In his confession Ward said Miss Finklestein taunted him about his color and then struck him in the face. In a fit of anger he shot her and then cut her throat.

A blood-stained knife found in his pockets, corroborated the statement. Ward, when first captured, strenuously denied his guilt, but when severely questioned, finally confessed.

He failed to explain, however, how he came to be engaged in conversation with the victim, and the officials believe it was either an unprovoked murder or the deed of a maniac.

THE CRIME.

Miss Finklestein was walking homeward yesterday afternoon from her country school over a lonely road to the main highway to take a trolley car to the city when she fell a victim to her murderous assailant.

The negro had a shotgun and game bag, and had been hunting when he called to her to stop. Instead, she ran, and he fired at her, some of the shot striking in the hair of her head.

She stopped, and when the negro came up to her Miss Finkelstein handed him her purse with $3 in it and started to go on, but he caught hold of her. She struggled to prevent an assault and he cut her throat.

After he had left her she walked half a mile to a house. She gave a complete description of the tall, copper-colored negro, and an interurban line conductor described the man as one of his passengers into the city at 6 o'clock.

Miss Finkelstein was assisted to the city and taken to a hospital, where she received the best of surgical aid, which, however, proved powerless to save her life.

Miss Finkelstein's father, who was a pack peddler, was murdered in a saloon in Hymera, seven years ago. She graduated from the high school, and spent two years in the state normal. She had been teaching in the country school two years. Her widowed mother and six younger children are now living in Chicago, and she was their main support.

OPPOSE M'KINLEY INVITATION.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 26.—Turney camp, Confederate Veterans, of Winchester, Tenn., has adopted another resolution in regard to inviting President McKinley to attend the Memphis reunion. The resolutions oppose the invitation "because it is contrary to the spirit of the constitution and laws of the association and tends to change the character and defeat the purpose of the organization, which is intended to be a purely and exclusive confederate organization for confederate veterans alone."

A NEW LINE OF STEAMERS.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Nine large vessels have been ordered by a Bremen steamship company with a view to the establishment of a line of German steamers from New York to South Africa and East India, according to United States Consul Monaghan at Chemnitz in a communication to the state department. The promoters of the enterprise believe, it is stated, that they will be able to compete with the British lines running to all parts of India and Africa. In addition to these plans, the consul says, the same company proposes to establish a line from New York to Mexico and the West Indies.

MINERS HAVE GRIEVANCES.

Denver, Col., Feb. 26.—A committee of the legislature, appointed to investigate the coal miners' strike in this state, has made a report which declares there is much justice in the complaints of the miners. The committee finds that the companies can afford to pay higher wages and that it is not fair for them to deny to their employes the same right to organize which they have themselves exercised. Remedial legislation is recommended, including an eight-hour day and anti-pooling laws.

THORPE AGAIN ARRESTED.

Jabez L. Thorpe was arrested again this morning on the corner of Jefferson and Calhoun streets. He was released from jail last Thursday for trying to entice little school girls into a saloon and frightening them by queer proposals. Immediately on his release he went back to the same old corner and recommenced his practices. Father Durham, of the Cathedral, reported the matter to the police and an officer was sent to watch him. Officer Colling made the arrest and the old fellow, who is a thorough reprobate, will probably be given a thirty-six-day sentence and then will be sent out of town.

A SMALL BLAZE.

At 9:20 this morning an alarm from box 127 called the fire department to the corner of Wayne and Walter streets, where a woodshed in the rear of the premises occupied by Fred Denius was found to be in flames. The woodshed and an adjoining out-building were destroyed and the fire communicated to the stable of Henry Beuker. The latter was damaged to the extent of about $50 and about the same loss was entailed by the burning of the other two out-buildings. The fire is supposed to have originated through the carelessness of some children playing in the buildings.

IN JUSTICES' COURTS.

In Bullerman's court yesterday afternoon David Ludwig, a bartender, was fined $1 and costs for assault and battery on George McManus. The men had a dispute over an account and the result was that Ludwig pasted McManus on the jaw. The fine was paid.

The case of the state vs. Anias Boals, set for trial in Tancey's court this afternoon, has been continued until next Saturday.

SENATE RUSHES WORK.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 26.—(Special.)—The senate today smashed the record for rapid work, advancing fifty bills to second reading. The house passed the kidnapping bill, prescribing a penalty of from ten years to life imprisonment. The house also passed the oil inspector bill and advanced Brooks' express bill to third reading.

VANDERLIP RESIGNS.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The resignation of Hon. Frank A. Vanderlip, assistant secretary of the treasury, was announced at the department today to take effect upon the qualification of his successor, not later than March 8.

DENIAL BY GOMEZ.

Havana, Feb. 26.—General Gomez visited Governor General Wood this morning and assured him that the stories of unrest and dissatisfaction at the continuance of the United States intervention were false and that he had been misrepresented in statements to the effect that he favored the immediate withdrawal of the United States troops.

CHOKED ON OYSTER SHELL.

Mrs. Gus Jackson, while on a visit to her sister, Miss Nellie French, whose home is at No. 65 West Superior street, today, accidentally swallowed a piece of an oyster shell, which lodged in her throat. Dr. Van Buskirk was summoned at once and succeeded in dislodging the bit of shell. The injury, though painful, is not serious, consisting of a laceration of the throat.

AGREE FOR A TIME

PHILIPPINE AMENDMENT GIVEN A CHANCE.

DEMOCRATS GIVE CONSENT

ONLY PURPOSE LETTING IT COME TO A VOTE.

TO FIGHT WHEN TIME COMES

THE DAY IN THE HOUSE AND THE SENATE.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The early part of today's session of the senate was devoted by a large part of the leading senators on both sides to secure a modification of the Philippine amendment to the army appropriation bill which would render it possible to secure a vote upon it. After several conferences an agreement was reached which was found to be satisfactory to a large majority of the senators. The amendment to the original provision yesterday suggested by Senator Hoar was used as the basis of discussion, but various additions were made to it, so that when he again offered it in the senate it was presented as a provision and read as follows:

"Provided, that no sale or lease or other disposition of the public lands or the timber thereon or the mining rights therein shall be made, and, provided further, that no franchise shall be granted which is not approved by the president of the United States and is not in his judgment clearly necessary for the immediate government of the islands and indispensable for the interest of the people thereof, and which cannot, without great public mischief, be postponed until the establishment of permanent civil government, and all such franchises shall terminate one year after the establishment of such permanent civil government."

Senators Morgan, Rawlins, Tillman and Bacon, who had been among the most determined opponents of the original proviso, were all consulted concerning the amendment, and all of them except Mr. Morgan indicated a willingness to let the amendment go through after reasonable debate. Senator Morgan did not commit himself. The democratic acquiescence does not go to the extent of agreeing to support the entire Philippines provision, but only to the point of allowing it to reach the voting stage. The republicans without exception accept the modification of the amendment.

During his speech on the amendment Mr. Morgan said that if it was the intention of Mr. Platt, of Connecticut, chairman of the committee on relations with Cuba, to press the Cuban amendment offered yesterday it would require considerable discussion, though he had no intention of filibustering.

IN THE SENATE.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Soon after the senate convened today a bill to supplement the existing law as to the disposition of public lands was passed. It provides for the division of lands in Oklahoma into counties for the establishment of county seats, for the erection of court houses and appointment of temporary county officials.

A house joint resolution was adopted authorizing the importation free of duty of articles intended to be exhibited at the San Antonio international fair and Dallas state fair and exposition.

Mr. Allison called up the conference report upon the District of Columbia appropriation bill.

The report was agreed to.

A resolution offered by Mr. Fairbanks calling upon the secretary of war for an English translation of the Cuban constitution was adopted.

Mr. Pettigrew's resolution coming over from a previous day calling upon the president, if not incompatible with the public interest, to inform the senate whether all telegrams from Manila prior to February 4, 1899, were subjected to censorship; and also to send to the senate a copy of the telegram of General Otis announcing the commencement of hostilities, the hour it was filed in Manila and some other collateral information, was agreed to without comment.

The resolution of Mr. Morgan, coming over from yesterday, declaring the Nicarauga canal bill the unfinished business of the senate, was called up. After Mr. Morgan had made a brief statement regarding the preliminary phases of the question, in the course of which he said he knew the enemies of the Nicarauga canal bill would employ every device to kill the measure, the resolution, upon his motion, was referred to the committee on rules.

IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 26.—At the opening of the session of the house today the senate bill to authorize the attorney general upon the request of the secretary of the interior to appear in suits relative to school lands was passed.

Mr. Payne, chairman of the committee on ways and means, from that committee reported the Sulzer resolution calling upon the secretary of the treasury for information regarding the imposition of countervailing duties on Russian sugar with the recommendation that it lie upon the table. He entered the motion to lie upon the table. That motion was not debatable.

Mr. Sulzer, the author of the resolution, appealed to Mr. Payne to allow him five minutes to make a statement regarding the resolution, but Mr. Payne declined to yield for that purpose. Upon division the motion prevailed 93 to 63.

Mr. Sulzer attempted to secure the ayes and noes, but only fourteen members upon his side backed his demand.

Mr. Sherman (N. Y.) presented a partial conference report upon the Indian appropriation bill, which was agreed to. The house further insisted upon its disagreement to the amendments still in issue except the two irrigation amendments placed upon the bill by the senate.

Mr. Little (Ark.) moved that the house recede and concur in the first of these amendments, which appropriated $100,000 for investigating the question of irrigation by a dam across the Gila river near San Carlos, Ariz.

It was arranged that there should be an hour's debate upon a side upon the proposition. Mr. Curtis (Kas.) opposed Mr. Little's motion.

Mr. Little's motion was lost, 58 to 97. The bill was sent back to further conference.

TO TRANSFER NEGOTIATIONS.

London, Feb. 26.—The Nicarauga canal negotiations have been or are on the point of being entirely transferred to Washington, as Ambassador Choate is not empowered to deal with the suggestions of the British government. The usual weekly cabinet meeting was held this afternoon.

NAVAL ARCHITECT DIES.

New York, Feb. 26.—Captain T. Lighthall, 53 years old, a well known civil engineer and naval architect, of Washington, D. C., is dead at the Bartholdi hotel. Death was due to heart failure. The body was removed to an undertaking establishment to await the instructions from the dead man's relatives. He has been staying at the hotel for a week and on Sunday night had complained of feeling ill. A physician who was called to attend him found that he was suffring from Bright's disease. When the chambermaid went to his room she found him sitting in a chair with a $10,000 check in his hand. The check was the price of a patent Mr. Lighthall had sold a few weeks ago to a street railway company. Death had evidently overtaken him while he was examining it.

GOES TO REMOTE PLACE.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The state department has been informed by Consul Fee at Bombay in a recent report that a steamer plying directly from New York city has arrived with an electric plant and outfit and party of engineers and electricians. The party are representatives of a New York firm and are destined to the Kolar gold fields, near Bangalore, the capital of the native state of Mysore. The power necessary to operate this electric plant is to be furnished by the Cauvery river, which will be conducted across the country to the Kolar gold fields. The erection of this plant is expected to increase the production of the mines and to reduce the expense of working. It is a new feature in the gold mining of India.

FORMER CITIZEN HERE.

J. W. Stockbridge, of St. Louis, is in the city renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Stockbridge was a resident of Fort Wayne many years ago, and he was later a leading ticket broker at St. Louis, with offices in the Lindell hotel.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will meet at 2 o'clock, sharp, Wednesday afternoon, at which time the division will be inspected.

IN A BURNING MINE

Fifty Miners are Entombed in Wyoming and It is Certain All Have Perished.

BUT ONE MAN MADE HIS ESCAPE

Kemmerer, Wyo., Feb. 26.—Fifty foreigners, whose names are as yet unobtainable, undoubtedly have perished in a fire which was discovered last evening in the sixth level of the Diamondville coal mine No. 1. Only one man, John Anderson, was able to reach the main shaft and make his escape, so quickly did the fire spread through the level. The fire was discovered in the sixth level of the mine late last evening. No one knows how it started. The night shift of fifty men, all foreigners, had been at work several hours, and at the time, were unaware of their danger. They scattered along the workings some distance back from the main lead.

John Anderson was the nearest man to the opening of the level into the shaft. He gave the alarm, which was passed down the tunnel, and then, placing a heavy overcoat over his head, began a desperate battle with the smoke, fire and deadly fumes of gas, to reach the main lead, where escape might be possible.

By this time the outside men of the colliery had learned of the fire and several went down in the hope of rescuing the imprisoned miners.

At the opening of the level where the flames were at work they found Anderson, completely exhausted. He was carried to the open air and soon revived, although he was severely burned about the body. Anderson explained the situation in which his companions were placed and every effort was made to reach the imprisoned men.

Every plan known to mining experts and the officials of the company was quickly put into operation to check the progress of the fire, but without apparent effect. The level was then plugged at its opening about two miles from the mouth, in order to check the draught through the workings and thus kill the fire. Gangs of men went down the shaft ready to face the flames, which were eating their way through the level, but were invariably compelled to retreat.

There was no let up in the efforts to get into the level, but this despite the almost absolute certainty that none of the imprisoned men can be alive. There were a number of horses in the workings, and the oldest miners still hope that the men may have found a way to fight off the flames and that they would subsist on horse meat until rescuers can reach them.

Up to 11 a. m. no bodies had been recovered. Work at the other mines was suspended and all the miners joined the rescuing parties.

CLUB WOMEN ENTER POLITICS.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 26.—The Springfield Woman's club yesterday decided to take an active part in the Springfield municipal campaign. The women have decided that the only way to secure a clean administration of the affairs of the city is for them to exercise their influence over the male members of their families. After both political parties have made their nominations the women will prepare the ticket they intend to support. It will likely be composed of nominees from all parties. The women deny that they intend to work along the lines of the Carrie Nation crusaders, but declare they are determined that Springfield shall be governed according to the state and city laws during the coming two years.

GETS VAST SAMOAN GRANT.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 25.—Nicholas J. Weaver, who has figured in questionable financial transactions in half a dozen cities and who has a record as a poker sharper, being a partner of the notorious gambler "Billy" Hurt, arrived here Sunday from Samoa. He has secured a concession of 15,000 acres in German Samoa, and with the help of English capital he expects to do a world-beating business in the production of chocolate. He made his land deal with native chiefs before Germany secured complete control, and as a result is likely to have trouble with the kaiser's officials. Weaver was accused some ten years ago of swindling Chicago men out of $15,000, but he escaped prosecution.

WHIPPING POST IN MISSOURI.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 26.—A bill establishing the whipping post as a means of punishment for misdemeanor was introduced yesterday by Representative Haines, of Saline county. It provides that, at the discretion of the court, the culprit may be given the usual fine or imprisonment or from ten to thirty-nine lashes on the bare back with a rawhide.

THREW BABES INTO RIVER

DEED OF DEMENTED WOMAN AT PITTSBURG.

Mrs. Maggie DeHorne Tosses Little Ones From Bridge—One Rescued, Other Drowned.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Maggie DeHorne, aged 26 years, walked out on the Twenty-second street bridge about 8:30 o'clock this morning with her two children, aged 2 and 4 years, and when in the center of the structure quickly picked up the little ones and threw them into the Monongahela river.

Before she could follow she was arrested. Boats put out at once and rescued one of the children, but the other was drowned.

The woman was evidently demented. She told the police that the act was an inspiration from heaven. She has been under religious excitement for several weeks and has been almost constantly praying. The boy, who was rescued, was taken to the Southside hospital.

It is thought he will die from exposure. The body of the girl was recovered.

RAT RAN UP HER CLOTHING.

Indianapolis, Feb. 26.—A young woman, jumping madly from a buggy and shrieking as if possessed of a thousand demons, attracted the attention of the employes at the Panhandle shops east of the city yesterday afternoon and several of them dropped their tools and hastened to her assistance. In the meantime, a young man had reached her side, and between her cries and contortions, she managed to make him understand that a rat had run up her clothing and had taken refuge on her back between her dress and her shoulders. She was appealing to him all this time to kill it, but she moved about so rapidly that he could not get near her. He finally succeeded in grabbing the intruder and gradually tightened his hold upon the rodent till it ceased to struggle. She then pleaded with him to unbutton her dress and take it out, and he succeeded in performing the delicate operation after several jerks at the hooks and eyes, with which he was wholly unfamiliar. By this time the employes had reached the scene and when the situation was explained to them they gave three hearty cheers for the rescuer. The woman proved to be Miss Virginia Wellman, and she presumed the rat was in the buggy when she got in at her father's farmhouse two miles away.

THE CAUSE OF TROUBLE.

Cape Haytien, Hayti, Feb. 26.—The recent conflict between Haytians and Dominicans at Philotert, on the northern frontier of this republic, was caused by the occupation by Haytian troops of some territory in dispute. The Dominican government is disposed to re-establish good relations with Hayti if the government of the republic will recall its troops.

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GIVE GOVERNMENT

PHILIPPINE COMMISSION IN BULACAN PROVINCE.

GUIGUINTO IS ORGANIZED

COUNTRY LATELY WRESTED FROM INSURGENTS.

COMMISSION IS WELCOMED

PRESIDENTE HOPES PEACE IS AT HAND.

Guiguinto, Bulacan Province, P. I., Feb. 26.—11:30 a. m.—The United States Philippine commission has arrived here from Manila and has organized a provincial government for this province, which until recently was controlled by the insurgents.

The insurgent colonel, Morels, is still operating with his band of 300 men in a portion of the province. Nevertheless, sentiments of peace and satisfaction with American sovereignty appear to be as prevalent here as in the provinces in which governments have previously been organized.

The party arrived here in army wagons and native carts, and were driven to the military headquarters. As many natives as could be crowded into the hall were present.

The president of the town welcomed the commissioners, declaring that the people of the province, which had been watered with the blood of Americans and Filipinos, earnestly hoped for the obliteration of the marks of war and for the establishment of a peaceful government, guaranteeing personal liberty.

Judge Taft responded. He said he rejoiced at the fact that the people of the province of Bulacan no longer misunderstood the objects of the American government, which, solely, were to secure for the people the blessings of civil liberty and to develop their self-governing capacity.

During the afternoon there will be a big meeting in the chapel and the bill applying the provincial act to Bulacan will probably be discussed.

The female relatives of the commissioners are accompanying them on this trip.

EPIDEMIC OF RHINDERPEST.

Manila, Feb. 26.—An epidemic of rhinderpest exists in the Visayan island.

The disease first appeared on Burias island and spread thence to Ticio and Mesbate, and it is now appearing on the island of Panay.

Twenty-five thousand cariboo have already died on Masbate island. The natives are dependent upon the cariboo for agricultural operations, and the disease has minimized the rice planting and restricted the sugar crop and much suffering is likely to ensue. Rigid quarantine measures have been adopted.

A new party, called conservative, is being organized. Colonel Blanco, a Macabebee chief, is the leader of the movement. The church element is identified with the conservative party.

THE NEWARK SINKS.

Manila, Feb. 26.—The steamer Newark, of the quartermaster's department, has been wrecked on Catadanauns island.

WAS ONLY A TUG.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The steamer Newark, of the quartermaster's department, reported wrecked on Catadanauns siland, undoubtedly is a small tug recently purchased at a cost of about $5,000, used far the transportation of supplies in the Philippines. This is the only vessel of that name in the quartermaster's department.

DOWN AT BLUFFTON.

Banner: "The creditors of John A. Sawyer, who recently disappeared from his home west of town, held a meeting at the Sawyer home today to determine upon some course of action to be taken. Sawyer is said to have had many debts and to have left on that account. He has since been heard from in Fort Wayne."

News: "Tanton Swaim, brother of Mesdames P. A. Allen and R. W. Stine, was operated on Saturday afternoon at St. Joe hospital, Fort Wayne, for appedicitis. A couple of weeks ago he was taken with a severe pain in the side, which at first was thought to be pleurisy. It, however, developed into a severe case of appendicitis. The operation was successful and he is doing all right. A few years ago he lived in Bluffton, working in the boot and shoe factory. He resides on a farm north of Fort Wayne.—Mrs. F. F. Boltz has been called to Andover, Mass., by the illness of her niece, Mrs. Blanche Carleton, who is at the point of death. She leaves tomorrow morning for an indefinite stay.—A dozen boys who are anxious to enlist in the United States army are still patiently awaiting the appearance of Lieutenant Yule. He failed to arrive from Fort Wayne today and no word has been received from him. The boys have begun to fear that he will not keep his appointment for this place.

Speaking of the plans of the Southwestern railway and its proposed extensions, the Bluffton Banner says: "It was originally planned and Bluffton people were given the understanding that as soon as the line was completed to Warren a line would be run to Bluffton from Warren or that a line would be built to Portland and Bluffton connected with the Huntington-Portland line at Balbec or Camden. From what Mr. Reed says it looks very much as though their line is to be pushed in just the opposite direction after reaching Warren and Bluffton left out in the cold."

AUTHORESS SEEKS DIVORCE.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Gray Latham, magazine writer and artist, has filed suit for divorce at Forsythe, Taney county, Mo., against her husband, a New York stock broker. Mrs. Latham, who is a handsome woman and twenty-eight years old, went to Taney county, in the wilds of the Ozarks, several years ago with her brother. Shortly after she visited New York, where she met and married Latham. She returned later to Taney county, but her husband refused to go. Now she seeks separation on the ground of abandonment and non-support. It is said that her income from her pen and brush approach $10,000 a year.

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HOW TO TELL THE GENUINE

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Frank Hogue, a prominent Auburn lumberman, was in the city yesterday.

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Affecting Scene as Pastor Made the Announcement—Tributes to His Worth and Personality.

The appointment of Rev. John R. Quinlan as pastor of the Cathedral in this city is deeply regretted by the people of Huntington, who are extremely loth to part with the popular pastor. In this connection the Hunting Herald says:

"On last Thursday morning Father Quinlan received a message from the bishop to meet him at the Wabash depot, as he was going west to Lafayette. While on the train he was told of the contemplated change, and at once he protested, stating that he was so endeared to the people of this city he did not wish to leave. He did not receive a favorable answer from the bishop and on Friday sent a letter to Fort Wayne making further request that he be left here. On Saturday evening he received a telegram from Fort Wayne which read about as follows: 'Sunday, March 3rd, will be your last day in Huntington. Announce to your congregation if you wish.'

"As soon as the congregation learned of the change a committee was at once selected to go to Fort Wayne and see if Father Quinlan could not be allowed to remain here. The committee was as follows: Bryan O'Connor, Michael O'Laughlin, Patrick Gorman and Richard Murphy. Timothy Collins was on the committee, but he could not go on account of sickness. The committee met the bishop in consultation but they could not accomplish their purpose and came home sad-hearted.

"Sunday morning, at both early and 10 o'clock mass, Father Quinlan made an attempt to read the telegram he had received, but he could not, and with tears in his eyes he announced he would read it next Sunday. The congregation had already heard of the change and many could be seen weeping as the good man addressed them.

"The notice of the transfer of Father Quinlan is startling to the congregation of St. Mary's church, as well as to the public in general. For three years and five months he has been a faithful shepherd to St. Mary's flock. He is kind and affectionate, not only to his congregation, but also to citizens outside of his church. During his stay here he has made a friend of all whom he has met, and the members of St. Mary's church have the sympathy of the entire public. His place will be very hard to fill."

Editorially the Herald says:

"The transfer of Father Quinlan from the pastorate of St. Mary's church in this city to the pastorate of the Cathedral at Fort Wayne is a promotion well deserved. It is a wider field with greater opportunities for his splendid pulpit and executive ability. He leaves Huntington with regret, and the people of the city part with him with reluctance, but the wisdom of the bishop will be unquestioned. During his residence in Huntington he has won the good will and friendship of all classes, and his transfer is a source of sorrow not alone to his congregation but to hosts of Protestant friends."

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BAN ON DIVORCED PERSONS.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Feb. 26.—The Ministerial union has adopted a resolution as follows:

"We, the members of the Ministerial union of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, moved by our sacred convictions to preserve, so far as in us lies, the indissolubleness of the marriage relations, do hereby engage that we will not officiate at the marriage of a divorced person except in the case when we solemnly believe such person to be the innocent victim of a marriage which has been really dissolved on scriptural grounds; and also except that we may remarry those who have been divorced from each other, and who come to us to be reunited that they may live together again."

TO START SCHOOL OF PRAYER.

Lebanon, Ill., Feb. 26.—Rev. H. L. Derr, a Lebanon minister, has originated and is to establish a school of prayer. Until recently he was pastor of the local Baptist church. He resigned his pastorate to devote his time to his new educational project. His school is to be a department of Ewing college, a Baptist institution at Ewing, Franklin county. He proposes to give a two years' course in the nature, purposes and effectiveness of prayer, treating it from a historical and scientific point. An endowment of $10,000 for the establishment and support of the school is required, which Rev. Mr. Derr is now working to secure.

FRANCHISES CONSIDERED.

The board of works held an unimportant meeting yesterday afternoon. Mr. Miller, of the Southwestern Railway company, was present to push the franchise asked for by his company in the northwestern part of the city. The board told him they would investigate the condition of the Van Buren street bridge and other matters connected with the granting of the franchise and take the matter up as soon as advisable. The rumored change in the ownership of the Fort Wayne Traction company's lines and the probability of that concern asking for the privilege of building extensions is also taken into consideration. If the Southwestern should build a line now without satisfactory transfer arrangements with the Traction company it would not be of much benefit as it would require two fares to reach any point east of Calhoun street and south of Main, while if a new company is organized to operate the city lines and it makes the required extensions to accommodate the necessities of city travel, a line covering the same territory would probably be built which would provide for universal transfers. While the board does not propose to withhold action to await pure possibilities, it nevertheless feels that there is no urgent emergency to be met right at this moment.

RUSH THE ENLISTING.

Lieuenant Yule has received instruction to hurry forward the work of enlisting recruits for the army as rapidly as possible, and will continue the plan of visiting the smaller towns around Fort Wayne in search of men. Sylvester Dillon, who enlisted several days ago, left for Indianapolis this morning.

THE DEATHS AND FUNERALS

BRAEUER.

Mrs. Katherine Braeuer, widow of Conrad Braeuer, died this morning at her home, 92 Haustis avenue, at the advanced age of seventy-eight years. Mrs. Braeuer was a native of Germany and has resided in this city many years.

The funeral announcement will be made later.

KAADE.

Theodore Kaade, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Willilam Kaade, of 75 Swinney avenue, died at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon from pneumonia at the age of 3 years.

The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon.

SPITLER.

Mrs. John Spitler, of Cedar Creek township, died at 1 o'clock Monday morning from cancer.

The funeral services were held today at the Cedarville M. E. church, Rev. Phillips officiating. Interment at Leo.

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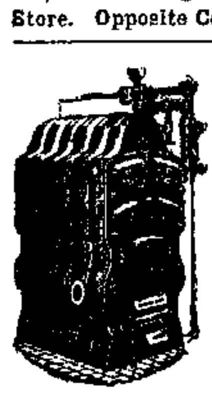

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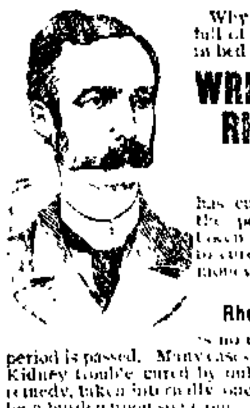

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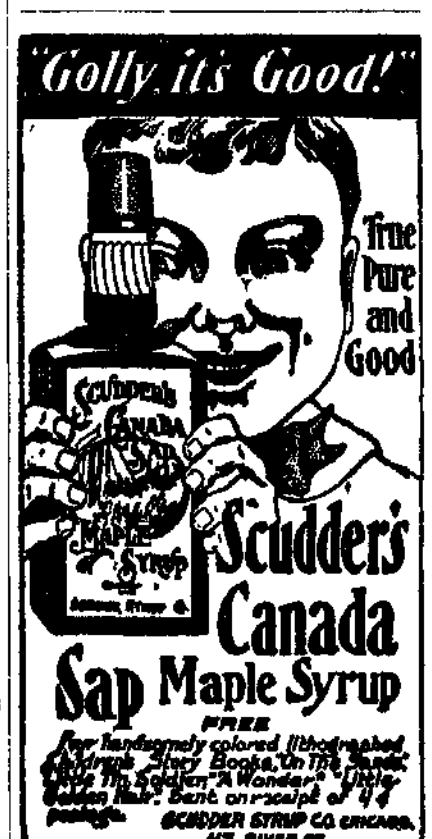

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LOCAL LINES.

Mrs. John Shoaff has returned from a visit in New York.

Miss Edith Liebig is entertaining relatives from Chicago.

Miss May Hess, of Maples, is visiting Miss Iva Middleton.

Mrs. Harry Stonecifer has returned from a visit in Connersville.

Ben Lehman has returned from a business visit in New York.

Mrs. Charles Greenick entertained the Amaranthus club last evening.

The Misses Eckart will entertain the Laetitia club Thursday evening.

Miss Millie Meyer, of Louisville, is the guest of Miss Nettie Epstein.

Joseph J. Romary has returned from a business trip to Indianapolis.

Mayor Z. T. Dungan, of Huntington, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Margaret Schmoll, of Hanna street, left yesterday for an eastern visit.

Miss Florence Jones has returned from a visit with friends in Van Wert, O.

Mrs. H. Brook Sale has returned home to Indianapolis after a visit in the city.

Mrs. Belle Raeder will entertain a few friends this evening in honor of visiting guests.

Miss Sadie Hirsh and guests formed a theatre party to "The Princess Chic" last evening.

Mrs. Dan Meyers has returned to her home in Columbia City after a visit with her sons.

Miss Oral Adams, of Portland, has returned home after a visit with Miss Jessie McLachlan.

The children of the Jewish church are rehearsing for an entertainment to be given on March 4.

Mrs. Seldon Morey has returned home to Toledo after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Marian Brenton.

Miss Mary Wallilngford, of Evanston, Ill., who has been visiting Miss Carnahan, has returned home.

Miss Blanche Bornique, of Buffalo, who has been visiting Miss Bertha Cour, has gone to Detroit to visit.

The nurses and attendants of Hope hospital, with a few friends, enjoyed a dance in Schott's hall last evening.

Mrs. Hovey Hanna and daughter, of Auburn, who have been visiting Mrs. S. B. Hanna, have returned home.

Mrs. Hanna M. Kuntz has purchased the old Randall farm of fifty-eight acres, north of the city, for $7,000.

Ex-Sheriff A. E. Melching entertained a party of about a dozen friends at his home on the Lima road Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Mitchell, of Lima, O., have returned home after a visit with their daughter, Mrs. S. K. Blair.

The Drs. McBeth are removing to their new home at 84 East Wayne street and will be comfortable settled in a few days.

Mrs. J. F. Wing entertained the South Side Aid society yesterday. Mrs. Mason Long and Miss Kate Eckert won prizes.

Mrs. Charles Finn will entertain the Athena Thimble club Thursday afternoon. In the evening the gentlemen are invited.

The history classes of the Jefferson street school listened to an interesting lecture on "Abraham Lincoln" by Rabbi Cohn yesterday.

Mrs. O. N. Guldlin accompanied Miss Mary Moffat, Miss Shoaff and Miss Seavey on their trip abroad, joining them in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hirsh gave an "at home" Sunday in honor of the betrothal of their daughter, Miss Sadie Hirsh, and Lester H. Beckard, of Boston.

The East Side Aid society will meet with Mrs. Conrad Kettler Wednesday evening. Mrs. George Humphrey will assist. The gentlemen are invited.

Ben Hur Court held another of its interesting meetings last evening, initiating twenty-seven candidates and receiving twelve applications. Forty-six have been initiated since January 1, and a class of thirty-one will be received on Monday evening, March 4. This will bring the total membership up to 386.

Miss Stella Brown, late of Parsons, Kas., who is stopping with her aunt, Mrs. E. B. Ball, of 46 Gay street, was surprised last evening by a number of her young friends, who called to remind her of her birthday and to aid in celebrating the anniversary. The guests presented Miss Brown with several tokens of their esteem, included being a handsome ring. Mrs. Hall served refreshments at 10 o'clock.

The monthly missionary meeting of the Ladies' Missionary society of Wayne Street M. E. church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lem R. Hartman. About one hundred ladies, representing the various evangelical churches, were in attendance and listened to an interesting address by Miss Linam, a returned missionary from China. Mrs. E. R. Gesaman presided at the meeting. After the lecture refreshments were served, Mrs. Hartman being assisted in the dining room by Mrs. B. V. Sweringen, Mrs. S. B. Hartman and Mrs. H. G. Winch. Miss Winnie Hartman and Miss Davis assisted in serving.

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WRECKED RIO LOCATED.

San Francisco, Feb. 26.—It is stated today that the position of the wrecked Rio de Janeiro has been located by sounding in thirteen fathoms of water, a depth at which divers can work. It is said to be exactly one-quarter of a mile southwest of Fort Point buoy, probably within a stone's throw of the walls of Fort Scott. It is not impossible that the imprisoned bodies may be recovered.

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IN POLICE CIRCLES.

Police court came pretty near being a blank this morning. The evil doers had evidently heard of the judicial exploits of Superintendent Gorsline in the prosecutor's field and steered clear of all semblance of iniquity. Only Fred Eix, who unfortunately is not a Sentinel subscriber, had not heard of it and he was caught in the meshes for being drunk. He put up a strong plea and cited the fact that he had not been in trouble for a long time, and if given a chance he would stay out a long time again. The talk went with the mayor, who fined him $5 and suspended sentence.

The light in a down town saloon was found out last night and an investigation was made. It was found that it had simply flickered out, the result of being turned too low.

The door of a down town business house was found open last night and reported. The number of doors found open during a year is something almost incredible. One certain business man makes a practice of leaving his store door open not less than 100 nights in the 365 of a year. Some night the gay and festive burglar will make a haul, and then this same man will raise Cain over the incompetency of the police department.

Superintendent Gorsline this morning received the description of the second watch found in Tom Borham's possession. It proves to be the identical watch taken by him from the Racine lady, mention of whom has heretofore been made.

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This letter is from a New York mechanical draughtsman. Name can be furnished by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., at Battle Creek, Mich.

FIRE AND A RUNAWAY.

A loss of $150 was caused by fire Monday evening at the residence owned by E. J. Smith, at 105 Superior street, and occupied by the families of Fred Harmeyer and Mrs. Summers. The fire was caused by a defective flue. While the firemen were at work a hose burst, frightening the horses attached to the hose wagon of engine company No. 6 and the animals darted away. The team was stopped on Harrison street after it had struck a horse and buggy owned by John Noble, hitched in front of the Spuhler meat market. The buggy was demolished and the horse slightly injured.

WILL GIVE A SMOKER.

Three hundred invitations have been issued by the Jeffersonian club for a smoker to be given at the club rooms on East Berry street Wednesday evening, March 8. The committee on invitations is made up of Judge J. H. Aiken, William Hammond and D. C. Stout.

The Boys' Brotherhood club will meet tomorrow evening in Vordermark hall, at 32 Calhoun street. The meeting will be of special importance, as a reorganization is to be effected. Following the business session there will be a musical and refreshments.

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WANTED—Three unfurnished rooms in central part of city. Address 148 Clinton St., upstairs. 25-2t

WANTED—If you want to borrow money see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18tf

WANTED—An Idea—A new tool to smash "joints" would sell in Kansas. W. G. Burns, Patent Attorney, 80 Calhoun St., Fort Wayne, Ind.

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WANTED—A young man of from 15 to 17 for office work; must be a good penman, accurate in figures, and one that is willing to work for a moderate salary. Address, in own hand writing, with references, stating salary expected, Box 1, Sentinel office. 25-3t

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FOR SALE—A nice cottage on West Creighton ave.; price, $1,650. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Some choice building lots on West Creighton, Fairfield and South Broadway; finest residence location. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

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LOST—Yesterday, a silver watch. Finder please return to 34 West Washington street.

LOST—Pocketbook with name, "Mrs. E. A. McCoy." Finder return to Sentinel and receive reward. 26-2t

LOST—A diamond earring, between corner Washington and Harrison and West Third street. Finder return to Sentinel and receive reward. 26-2t

LOST—Esquimau dog; answers to name of Sport; white and black spotted; with collar and name plate addressed 34 Pritchard St., and receive reward. 25-2t

LOST OR STOLEN—A little black and tan female dog; weight about five pounds; answers to name of Niger. Finder please return to 12 Lafayette St. and receive $5 reward. 26-2t

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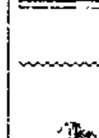

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Miss May Hess, of Maples, is the guest of Miss Iva Middleton, of 317 East Creighton avenue.

Mrs. Spiegel, the Broadway milliner, has gone to Chicago to make spring purchases.

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FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow at 31 Wefel street. 25-2t

FOR SALE—Improved 80-acre farm on easy payments. Address Lock Box 124. 26-6t

FOR SALE—160 acres, 7 miles from Fort Wayne. Address Fred Rolland, Rural Route No. 6, city. 1-15 2m d w

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FOR SALE—New, modern residence on West Washington boulevard, only $4,500. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Large modern house, 46 Huestis ave.; will be sold at highest offer obtainable in next 10 days. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Fine large buffalo robe, lined; one fur overcoat suitable for motorman or coachman. Enquire at 39 Douglas Ave. eod2-9-1m

FOR SALE—A choice farm, south of city; belongs to heirs and must sell; it is certainly a bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—7 room house, partly modern, large barn, 50 ft. lot, on Hoagland Ave. Price $3,200. W. E. Doud, over Old National Bank. 23-tf

FOR SALE—One of the fine West Berry St. homes; very desirable; owner intends to leave the city. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Two full lots, with partial modern improvements; on Douglas ave.; prices cut to $3,500 and $3,700. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

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FOR SALE—Or exchange—70 acre farm for city property or vacant lots; would pay difference if any. For particulars call or address, R. W. Cecil, No. 10 North St. 23-1m

FOR SALE—Cheap—6 room cottage, 105 Taylor St., with full lot, one square from Broadway. For particulars call at 36 Baker St. We will sell to suit purchaser. 18-tf

FOR SALE—Valuable property on northwest corner Barr and Superior streets; lot 58 feet front by 150 deep; brick house. For information call at 71 East Superior St. 26-6t

FOR SALE—One second-hand board, $7; one, $8; one $10; 1 $15; one $18, slightly used; 25 extension tables from $2.75 to $15, all kinds of second-hand furniture at L. J. Libbing & Co., 39 E. Main and 23 W. Main St.

FOR SALE—Bargains—Three Washington boulevard residences; five-room cottage on Boone street; choice vacant lot on Boone street; seven-room house on Smith street; choice lot in Lakeside, one-half price. J. T. Wagner, Real Estate and Loans, 23 Court St. 1-11-1m

FOR SALE—At a bargain—No. 176 Griffith St.; also 27 lots in Bloomingdale; houses erected on same on monthly payments; property for sale in all parts of the city; money to loan; also represent a number of the best fire insurance companies; property bought and sold. Office at drug store, 51 E. Main St. K. J. Bauer. 2-12-1m

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FOR SALE—Choice real estate—The following lots at reasonable prices, with best possible terms. The lots are well located. Refer to city map: Lots 31, 32, 55, 72, 89, 90, 91, 122, 123, 134, 138, 139, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 156, part 101, 102, White's First add.; lot 39, Lillie's addition; ½ lot 15, Wilt's add. (improved); lot 4, White's Third addition; lots 192, 196, Vordermark's add.; lot 26, Wayne Heights; lots 123, 124, 127, 163, 164, 165, 167, Fletcher's add.; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 41, 42, 43, 35, 36, Taylor & Abbott's add.; lot 22, Crescent add. A warrantee deed and abstract furnished. Sold on monthly payments or 1 to 5 years time. A good chance for investment. Inquire of A. B. White, care White Fruit House.

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

TUESDAY, FEB. 26, 1901.

TONIGHT.

Machinists—Regular meeting of No. 70 at 138 Calhoun street, third floor.

Plasterers—Regular meeting of No. 70 at Pearl and Harrison streets, second floor.

Steam Engineers—Regular meeting of No .70 at Main and Clinton streets, third floor.

Women's Union Label League—Regular meeting of No. 17 at 27 East Berry street, third floor.

Master Builders—Regular meeting.

City Council—Regular meeting in city hall.

Allen County Medical Society—Regular meeting in assembly room of the court house.

Lodges—Grand Fraternity; Order of the Red Cross; Fort Wayne, No. 116, K. of P.; Fort Wayne, No. 1, Daughters of Workmen; Edwards Camp, No. 3127, Modern Woodmen; Wayne Castle, No. 2, Knights of the Golden Eagle; Degree of Honor, No. 2; Home, No. 342, F. & A. M.; Allen, No. 29, Degree of Honor; Daniel O'Connell Council, No. 263, C. B. L.; Deborah, No. 110, D. of R.; Darius Council, Princes of Jerusalem.

Masonic Temple—"A Ride for Life."

Sunday School Convention—In Berry Street M. E. church.

According to Admiral Sampson the "man behind the gun" ought to stay there.

After Cuba has been in the independent government business awhile Uncle Sam may find it safe to cut the string.

Perhaps the threat to remove the tariff from manufactured steel products accounts for the $3,000 capitalization of the steel trust. The promoters will probably claim protection for an infant industry.

The rumor is again revived that John Hay is to quit the cabinet. It is an interesting rumor and a persistent rumor and a rumor with which nothing is the matter. Only John Hay does not quit the cabinet and probably will not quit the cabinet. He is not only essential to our diplomacy, but as a matter of fact is our diplomacy.

"Charlie" Schwab, the youthful multi-millionaire who is president of the Carnegie Steel company and is to be president of the billion-dollar steel trust just organized, writes his father that he now has more money than he knows what to do with and will shortly retire from active business pursuits. That is wise, and if "Charlie" continues to find himself perplexed for methods to unload his plethora of cash he will find a few thousands of his American fellow-citizens ready to sacrifice themselves in assuming responsibility for dispersion of the burdensome wealth.

Some of the Cuban fire-eaters appear to hold the opinion that the United States is wanting in proper spirit of gratitude for the privilege the revolutionists afforded this government in allowing American soldiers to fight and die for Cuban freedom. That Uncle Sam had the money to pay the bill of $300,000,000 is a mere incident of luck, and that he did pay it is of no account whatever. This again illustrates that it is impossible to please everybody.

This country is growing mightily, but not fast enough to keep pace with the increased expenditures of congress. A few years ago the cry of a "billion-dollar congress" was answered with "this is a billion-dollar country." The appropriations made by the congress now expiring will aggregate a billion and a half, almost as much as was spent by the previous congress during the period of the Spanish war. This does not include any provision for the Nicaragua canal, which the next congress must now deal with, nor the shipping subsidy grab, which happily seems to be about ready for the last sad rites. The next congress will in all probability exceed the expenditures of the present congress. This certainly will prove the case if the canal bill is favorably acted upon. The expenses created by this congress will continue in many directions. The largely increased appropriation for the army made at this session to provide for our augmented military establishment will have to be repeated. The war expenditures in the Philippines will be continued and to this must be added the inevitable growth of expenditures for pensions, a result of the war in the Philippines and of the war with Spain. The two-billion-dollar congress is, therfore, likely to arrive somewhat in advance of the two-billion-dollar country.

Admiral Sampson's popularity was not in such state that he could afford to give official signature to the letter in which he protested to the navy department against the promotion of Gunner Morgan to be an ensign in the navy on the ground of "social inequality." Gunner Morgan is a brave man, a sturdy fighter and has, according to Admiral Sampson's own letter, "good professional ability." He served as gunner on Admiral Sampson's flagship, the New York, during the Spanish war. Admiral Sampson sums up his objections to Gunner Morgan's promotion in the following words: "It is submitted that in time of peace the navy's function consists, to a certain extent, of representing the country abroad, and it is important that the navy's representatives should be of, at least, refinement." That is to say that no man who has not been graduated from the Annapolis academy neither has nor can acquire the "refinement" prescribed by the polite ethics of the navy. If that is true than the naval academy is a school of snobbery. For more than a century it has been the boast of the American people that here there is no caste, no nobility; that ability and not birth or wealth or social position is the criterion of distinction; that the poorest, the lowliest, the most obscure, may, if he have talents and honor aspire to the loftiest eminence. Four years in Annapolis cannot make a gentleman of any man who cannot otherwise make as fine a gentleman of himself if he will. Admiral Sampson makes a plea for the nurturing and perpetuating of an aristocracy which few have thought existed and still fewer will have the patience to look upon and endure. The idea that a gentleman in the navy is in any sort superior to the gentleman in the army or an American gentleman in any calling is wholly repugnant. No more glowing page illuminates the history of any country that the annals of the American navy. The world knows no finer heroism than the high daring of our sea fighters who from John Paul Jones to Lawrence and Perry, from Lawrence and Perry to Farragut and Cushman, and from them to Dewey and Schley and Hobson have shed such glorious renown on the sea prowess of this nation. Annapolis did not make these and hundreds of their like. They had the hearts of heroes and the souls of gentlemen and that they honored their country and glorified its flag under which they fought was, if Annapolis has made a Sampson, in spite of Annapolis and not because of it.

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The regular meeting of the Allen County Medical society will be held this evening in the assembly room of the court house. A paper on "Examination of the Spinal Cord" will be read by Dr. J. B. McEvoy, and Dr. Luella McKinley will also read a paper.

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GENERAL NEWS OF THE STATE OF INDIANA.

Muncie, Ind., Feb. 26.—J. Pierpont Morgan, the New York railway magnate, was in the city Sunday and yesterday investigating the facilities of this end of the lines of the Union Traction company, in which Mr. Morgan is interested. While careful not to commit himself, he intimated that the lines of the Union Traction company would in all probability be united with other lines in the near future and that the lines of the company would be greatly extended. He would neither confirm nor deny the report that Mr. Morgan was to back the promoters of the Muncie-New Castle line.

He stated, however, that electric railways in Indiana represented a good investment and that there would soon be a multiplication of the present number of lines. He predicts that this state will become one of the foremost electric systems in the world, and added: "It most assuredly has some of the best equipped roads at present."

Mr. Morgan is given the credit of introducing the express system also, which is to be provided for the Union Traction company lines. Today Mr. Morgan's representative left in his private car for Marion, where he will spend a day. He will return east after investigating the expediency of extending the Indiana lines. It is the belief that the Muncie-Hartford City line will be pushed to completion, making a connection with the western lines, and, with the proposed lines east from the western part of the state, form a complete circuit of electric lines, taking in all the important territory of the gas belt.

A HOOSIER FOX HUNT.

Wabash, Ind., Feb. 26.—In the big fox chase, which included within the lines the larger part of Lagro and Chester townships, in this county, and Huntington and Dallas townships, Huntington county, yesterday, 1,000 persons took part. Ten foxes were beaten up and for an hour ran around the circle, finally breaking through on the west line. The discovery of so many foxes, however, has induced the farmers to arrange another chase for next Saturday, with Adam Schenkel as commander-in-chief. The same officers will have charge of the chase and everybody over twenty-one is permitted to bring a shotgun. The closing-in place is six miles square and the lines start at 9 o'clock and meet at 1 p. m.

WRAPPED IN BED CLOTHES.

Muncie, Ind., Feb. 26.—Edward Heiniger, of Lima, Ohio, and Miss Olive Seible, of Anderson, were married here by 'Squire Moreland, after an exciting attempt by the girl's parents to head off the eloping couple. The girl is eighteen and her husband twenty-two. They went to Marion, from Anderson, Saturday night, where they procured a license. The young couple found that relatives were on the train, so they "back-tracked" to Anderson, over the interurban line, and then came to Muncie. Sunday night they called at 'Squire Moreland's home, and found the justice ill in bed of the grip. They insisted on being married, however, so the accommodating officer pulled the bed clothes around his shoulders, sat upright in bed and made them one.

CHICAGO LAWYER IS SOUGHT.

LaPorte, Ind., Feb. 26.—There is no longer any doubt as to the criminal prosecution of Joseph W. Brill, of Cleveland, on the charge of attempted murder. Ellsworth E. Weir, who is mentioned as the intended victim, appeared before the grand jury yesterday afternoon and gave evidence which dispelled the last hope of the defense that the case would be dropped by reason of the failure of Weir to appear to give incriminating testimony. Weir was followed by Dr. George M. Dakin, in whose office the shot was fired. The evidence of these two witnesses will form the basis of the indictment.

Mr. Brill stated last night that W. S. Forrest, of Chicago, would be the leading counsel for the defense. Forrest leaped into international reputation by his defense of the men who were convicted of the murder of Dr. Cronin.

NATURAL GAS CAPERS.

Hartford City, Ind., Feb. 26.—An explosion of natural gas occurred yesterday morning in the cellar of S. B. Cole's home. The force of the explosion tore doors from the hinges, wrecked the furniture, twisted the outer walls, threw down partitions and scattered glass and plastering in all directions. The five persons in the house at the time escaped without injury. Mr. Cole was blown out a window and landed in a snow bank, but he was not hurt. The house is a wreck.

MICE AND A CHOIR.

Kokomo, Ind., Feb. 26.—The choir at the Grace M. E. church was thrown into a panic Sunday afternoon by the appearance of two mice, which had evidently been attracted by the music. One of the mice ran up the trouser leg of Adam Rusher, leader of the choir. He held the mouse back with one hand and continued to hold the hymn book in the other. There was much confusion among the young women. One of them was brave enough to capture the second mouse. During the excitement the women poked their handkerchiefs into their mouths to keep from screaming.

CHLOROFORMED AND ROBBED.

Marion, Ind., Feb. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. John Gossum, living on a farm in this county, were chloroformed while asleep and burglars ransacked the house. Gossum and his wife did not recover from the effects of the drug until yesterday afternoon. The thieves took $100 in cash and, it is said, robbed another family in the same neighborhood of $100 by similar methods the same night.

A SUIT ENDS IN MARRIAGE.

Laporte, Ind., Feb. 26.—James D. Brown, who, a week ago, said he would sue his prospective mother-in-law, of Racine, Wis., for breaking his engagement with Miss Florence Slawson, has changed his mind. He and Miss Slawson were married at Englewood, near Chicago, Saturday.

INDIANA'S WILD MAN.

Liberty, Ind., Feb. 26.—In carrying the daily mail, with horse and buggy, between this town and Richmond, George Brumley, sr., travels over a roundabout, rough road and through what is known as "the big woods." Mail Carrier Brumley says that Saturday night he was stopped on his route by a hideous spectacle swinging a big club and indicating by signs and sounds that Brumley was to get out of the buggy.

Mr. Brumley fired a revolver and the strange creature ran into the woods, laughing and screaming. Mr. Brumley says that his assailant was a man, over six feet tall, covered with hair, and having big bulging eyes. He was dressed in animal skins and a tattered army overcoat.

It is alleged that a number of people in eastern Indiana have seen, during the last five years, the wild man described by Mr. Brumley, and that the man has successfully eluded all efforts to capture him.

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Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 26.—Beltrami county, in the lumber country in the northern part of Minnesota, is bankrupt and unless the legislature passes a bill for its relief a condition will prevail bordering on anarchy. The county judge and the jurors drawn for the present term have gone out on strike because there is no money with which to pay them; nearly all of the county offices have been closed by the occupants, while the sheriff, who has been caring for prisoners at his own expense, threatens to turn them loose and close the jail in order that he may get out and earn money for the support of himself and family.

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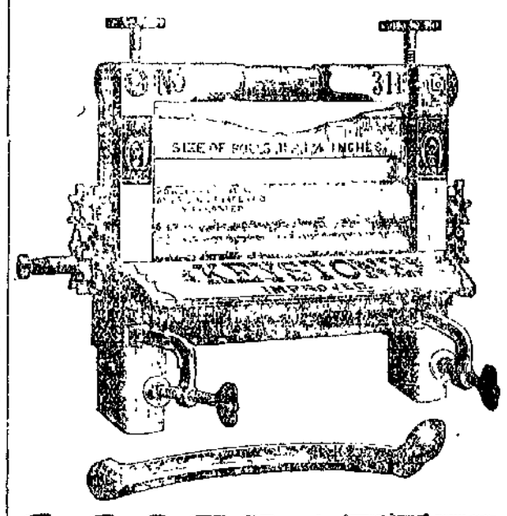

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DETAILS OF DEAL

TERMS ON WHICH BIG STEEL TRUST BUYS INTERESTS

PER CENT. BASIS OF STOCKS

RATED VALUATION OF THE STOCKS ABSORBED.

THE AGGREGATE ENORMOUS

NO FORMAL STATEMENT YET READY TO PUBLISH.

New York, Feb. 26.—At the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. it was stated today that they were not yet prepared to make any official statement or issue any circular giving the full details of the proposed United States Steel corporation. They recognize, however, that it is due to the public and the various stockholders that they should know as early as possible the basis upon which securities of the various companies will ultimately be received for conversion into the securities of the new corporation, which is as follows:

The following offers to be made for stocks of the several companies named:

Federal Steel preferred, 110 per cent of new preferred.

Federal Steel common, 4 per cent of new preferred and 107½ per cent of new common.

American Steel and Wire preferred, 117½ per cent in new preferred.

American Steel and Wire common, 102¼ per cent of new common.

National Tube preferred, 125 per cent of new preferred.

National Tube common 8.8 per cent of new preferred and 125 per cent of new common.

National Steel preferred, 125 per cent of new preferred.

National Steel common, 125 per cent of new common.

American Tin Plate preferred, 125 per cent of new preferred.

American Tin Plate common, 20 per cent of new preferred and 125 per cent of new common.

American Steel Hoop preferred, 100 per cent of new preferred.

American Steel Hoop common, 100 per cent of new common.

American Sheet Steel preferred, 100 per cent of new preferred.

American Sheet Steel common, 100 per cent of new common.

As to the stocks of the last four companies the aggregate amount of stocks to be offered was arranged with the principal stockholders of these companies, who have requested the distribution of such amounts among the four companies to be made in the manner as stated.

TERMS OF ALLOTMENTS.

According to the allotments stated, the old stock of the existing companies will exchange for the stocks of the new corporation as follows, par values being given in every case:

American Steel and Wire, $40,000,000 preferred for $47,000,000 of new preferred; $50,000,000 common for $51,250,000 of new common.

Federal Steel, $53,260,900 preferred for $58,586,990 of new preferred; $46,484,300 common for $1,859,372 of new preferred, and $49,970,622 of new common.

National Tube, $40,000,000 preferred for $50,000,000 of new preferred; $40,000,000 common for $3,520,000 of new preferred and $50,000,000 of new common.

National Steel, $27,000,000 preferred for $33,750,000 of new preferred; $32,000,000 common for $40,000,000 of new common.

American Tin Plate, $18,325,000 preferred for $22,906,250 of new preferred; $28,000,000 common for $5,600,000 new preferred and $35,000,000 of new common.

American Hoop, $14,000,000 preferred for $14,000,000 new preferred; $19,000,000 common for $19,000,000 of new common.

American Sheet Steel, $22,500,000 preferred for $24,500,000 of new preferred; $24,500,000 common for $24,500,000 of new common.

These allotments absorb a total of $261,722,612 of new preferred stock and a total of $269,720,022 of new common stock. The furnished statement is silent as to the total capitalization proposed for the new corporation and as to the terms of settlement with the holders of Carnegie company stocks and bonds.

GET THE CREAM.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 26.—The Pittsburg Dispatch says:

An underwriting syndicate of insiders, with $100,000,000 capital, will secure the "cream" of the big deal for the organization of the United States Steel corporation. This information comes from Pittsburgers interested in the negotiations.

J. Pierpont Morgan will receive $1,800,000 for perfecting the arrangement, and it is said positively that the Carnegie company will not receive the amounts the stockholders are credited with obtaining for their great property.

It is stated that it is the proposition of Mr. Morgan to permit the "insiders"—the directors of the various companies to be included, except the Carnegie company—to subscribe to the capital of the underwriting syndicate, which has been placed at $100,000,000.

This capitalization was based on the earnings of all of the plants to be taken into the combination and it is the intention of the underwriting syndicate, of which Mr. Morgan will be the head, to guarantee th operation of the plants for one year from the organization.

At the end of that time there will be a division made to the underwriting subscribers, who, it is estimated, will receive as their share about three to one in stock at par and whatever is left of the underwriting capital.

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AFTER THE CIGAR MEN

NON-UNION MADE CIGARS TO BE FOUGHT IN FORT WAYNE.

Interesting Meeting of the Trades and Labor Council Last Night —The Labor Fair.

The Trades and Labor council held an interesting session last night, meeting for the first time in its new hall in the Elektron building. One of the most important matters taken up was the question of waging a war against non-union made cigars, which have a very strong foothold in Fort Wayne. It was stated that Fort Wayne manufacturers make the best grade of cigars made anywhere and employ none but union labor, nevertheless thousands of foreign made cigars are sold in this city daily, nearly all of which are the product of scab labor. It was suggested that a few weeks ago an election was held to decide on giving a subsidy to a corporation which might employ a hundred or so men. The cigarmakers want no subsidy but state that if non-union cigars are driven off the Fort Wayne market it will give employment to at least fifty and probably a hundred additional cigarmakers and support that many more families. A committee of fifteen to act with the union label committee was appointed to make a canvass of all the places selling non-union goods and present the matter, and if no success is met with other measures, which the council is desirous of avoiding, will be adopted. Cigar manufacturers on the other hand will be visited and asked to have the union printers' label on all their packages.

The fair committee reported progress and said that they had engaged the Saengerbund building for the fair, which would commence on the first Wednesday after Easter and continue ten days. There will be no contests but a straight admission of 25 cents will be charged at the door, and there will be an entertainment each night which will be worth the money. In addition there will be some scheme arranged, not a lottery, by which one person each night will be given a valuable prize. Season tickets will be sold for $2.50 each and one of the purchasers of these tickets will be given a deed to two lots owned by the council, and situated on Wagner street.

Another effort will be made to unionize Pegg & Stevenson's barber shop on Broadway, and on motion the Blue book was abandoned this year.

The Waist Factory Employes' union announced that they would hold an open meeting at their hall one week from Thursday evening, and all friends of union labor are invited to be present.

COLD CURE FOR BUSY PEOPLE.

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THE WORK BEGINS

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION OPENS

AT BERRY STREET CHURCH

INTEREST AND ATTENDANCE ARE GOOD.

LISTEN TO FINE ADDRESSES

MRS. BRYMER OF CHICAGO A PROMINENT SPEAKER.

The annual convention of the Allen County Sunday School association is being held in the Berry street M. E. church, and today's attendance is largely increased over that of the opening session Monday evening. A. D. Craig, the energetic county superintendent, is in charge of the meeting, and Rev. B. Sawyer, of St. Paul's M. E. church, conducted the opening devotions today.

Following the roll call of townships, the convention this morning took up organized Sunday school work, and it was considered by the round table plan. A list of twenty-five questions, embracing about every department of Sunday school work, were propounded and discussed by the officers and delegates. The exercise was designed to bring out a wealth of ideas covering Sunday school organization and methods, and was a most profitable discussion.

PREPARING A LESSON.

The question of preparation of the Sunday school lesson was the theme next taken up. Mrs. A. K. Zartman presented a helpful paper upon the subject, and Miss Anne Philley followed with an informal talk. Mrs. Zartman, a successful primary teacher, believed that in teaching two things were essential—the preparation of the heart and the preparation of the mind. Love for Christ, intermingled with a passion for souls, combining in a desire to save the class, is the true purpose of the teacher. Love is the only medium through which the child can be reached and the child will believe in Christ's love when it is exemplified in the life of the teacher. The preparation of the mind includes not alone a preparation upon the lesson, but a knowledge of each individual scholar and his needs so far as is practicable. The third point in preparation is that of prayer—earnest prayer for guidance, blessing, wisdom, that the teaching may be fruitful. The paths of childhood must be traveled again in memory to supply the illustrations that will impress the important truths upon the children. The mission of the teacher is not merely to entertain pupils, but to bring them face to face with God and His everlasting word.

Miss Philley, in opening, endorsed the points made by Mrs. Zartman and expressed a desire to emphasize a few of them. First, it is essential that the teacher must love the work, must love the Bible and must love souls. One mistake many make is that they are teaching simply because somebody asked them to do so, and not because they are really interested in the work. Miss Philley told of her personal method of preparation by prayer and study, and of the use of illustration in the presentation of the lesson facts.

TOWNSHIP REPORTS.

The call of the townships for reports of schools was then given, and a number were presented, though not nearly a full quota responded. Later in the session the reports will be called for again. Superintendent Craig says the reports will show that there are 146 Sunday schools in the county, with over 900 teachers and more than 12,000 scholars.

NAMED COMMITTEES.

Just previous to adjournment at noon the superintendent announced the appointment of the following committees:

On Nominations—S. S. Hall, D. S. Connett, Miss Lizzie Covington.

On Resolutions Rev. J. W. Lake, J. D. Cloyd, S. Doty.

Mrs. J. W. Hayden conducted the devotional service this afternoon and Rev. J. Webster Bailey, pastor of Plymouth Congregational church, followed with a helpful talk on "Christ the Model Teacher." Another round table Sunday school management brought out many valuable suggestions, and Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner, of Chicago, gave her first address, a demonstration of how the blackboard may be used in the Sunday school. Mrs. Nettie Hubler closed with a paper, "Pastoral Work of the Teacher."

IDEAL SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Supt. A. D. Craig called the opening session of the convention the opening session of the convention to order Monday evening. Miss Mills, secretary of the Y. W. C. A., read a scripture lesson and prayer was offered by Rev. A. K. Zartman. Preceding this there had been an opening song service led by H. A. Philley, with a choir of twenty voices, assisted by the orchestra.

Rev. W. D. Parr, D. D., pastor of Wayne street M. E. church, delivered the address of the evening, his theme being the "Ideal Sunday School." In part Dr. Parr said:

"I do not know whether there is an ideal Sunday School in the world. However that may be, there is an ideal for which all must strive, for which all men who have accomplished anything have striven, and on which lines all successful undertakings have been laid. There is a close connection between the ideal Sunday school and the ideal church. I would make the church the prettiest building in all the land. It should impress the little people and be cheerful on the outside as well as on the inside. There is no reason for Christians to give up all the beauties of the world.

"I think the ideal Sunday school should have a model superintendent, a man who can bring things to pass. The church of God is suffering for leadership. A Sunday school superintendent must be an executive man, who can not only do things himself, but can also get others to do things. He must be a studious man, who gives careful thought to the work, and studies out the solution of the problems that develop. The well appointed machinery which he will construct must run noiselessly, and with precision. He must understand music, and must have bright cheerful songs. He must be an expansionist, setting up new classes from the surplus of the old ones, and looking after a teaching force.

"The ideal Sunday school will magnify the word of the Lord. It seems to me that the church is becoming too much like a club, or an entertaining society. It may be substituting something for the word of God and this is wrong. The ideal Sunday school should be a well governed Sunday school. It cannot be governed as a day school, but order is essential. The facilities for good government are many times lacking, but there are churches in which from twenty to forty Sunday school rooms are provided and these are an aid to the work.

"The most essential feature to an ideal Sunday school is the teaching form. If it has not these, the Sunday school is a failure. The superintendent may be only a moderately capable man, but if it has good teachers it cannot be a failure. The teachers must be gentle and sympathetic and have patience with the young and restless student. The ideal Sunday school will seek after scriptural conversions. There should be a time set apart for prayer and special conversation, for the Sunday school should pour streams of conversion into the church. It should be the institution that feeds and supplements the church, and have the missionary impulse."

In conclusion Dr. Parr spoke words of encouragement to the discouraged teacher who often does not know of the good that he has accomplished.

THIS EVENING.

This evening Mrs. Byner will take up the subject of "Primary Teaching," and Rev. J. C. Carman, the state superintendent, will deliver an adderss, "Childhood's Call to the Church."

The program for tomorrow's session is as follows:

Wednesday Morning:
9:30—Devotion, Rev. Schoemaker.
9:50—Reports from townships.
10:00—The Sunday School Teacher (round table.)
10:40—Temperance, J. E. Graham.
11:05—The Teacher's Opportunity and Seizing It, Mrs. D. W. Thomas, of Elkhart.
11:30—More Machinery or More Power, Which? Rev. J. H. Evans.
11:50—Adjournment.

Wednesday afternoon:
1:45—Devotion, Dr. Jas. English.
2:00—Home Class Department (round table.)
2:40—Next Sunday's Lesson, Mrs. Byner.
3:00—Normal Work, Rev. J. C. Carman.
3:30—Reports of committees, etc.
4:00 Adjournment.

Miss Katie Rauner, of Walnut street, entertained the F. G. and R. C. club last evening at progressive pedro. Flora Schwartz and Dock Ringle were awarded first prizes, while the consolations went to Miss Mae Eickhoff and Kenneth Rauner. A dainty luncheon was served at 12 o'clock.

Miss Maude Dunfee, of Jackson, Mich., is in the city visiting her grandmother, Mrs. E. Jewell, of 50 West Superior street.

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"I had been in bed three weeks with grip when my husband brought me Dr. Miles' Nervine, Pain Pills and Nerve and Liver Pills. I was cured."—Mrs. J. Beinier, Franklin, Ind.

Mrs. E. P. Green has recovered from an attack of the grip at Canaseraga, N. Y., by the use of Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

Among the victims of the grip epidemic now so prevalent, F. Coyle is now recovering at Canton, O., by the use of Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

W. E. Nihells, of St. Louis, Mo., who was down with grip, is reported much improved. He used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

The friends of Mrs. L. Denison will be pleased to learn of her recovery from grip at her home in Bay City, Mich., through the use of Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

Everybody says that J. W. Udy is looking splendid since his recovery from the grip at his home in Des Moines, Iowa. They all know that Dr. Miles' Nervine was what cured him.

Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. DeWaele, who has passed the three-score mile stone, had a time with the grip, but when seen at his home in Roscommon, Mich., the other day, he said Dr. Miles' Nervine was what cured him.

At nearly three score and ten Mrs. Galen Humphrey was fighting against odds when the grip attacked he, but she took Dr. Miles' Nervine and now her neighbors in Wareham, Mass., remark on how well she is looking.

After an illness of five weeks from the grip, Mrs. Harriett Jackson is again about and looking fine. She began taking Dr. Miles Nervine after the fourth week. Her home is in Bowling Green, Mo.

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WILL ADOPT AIR PRESSURE

WATER WORKS BOARD TO CONTRACT FOR PLANT.

Value of the System Established—The Man Who Proved There Is Plenty of Water.

The water works trustees last evening formally ratified the decision arrived at several days ago, to close a contract for the erection of a permanent air pressure pumping plant at the water works station. The success of the system has been so firmly established that no further doubt remains that there is an inexhaustible supply of pure water underlying the city and all that is necessary is to bring it to the surface within reach of the pumps. This the air-lift system does, satisfactorily and cheaply. The trustees will immediately place themselves in communication with first-class hydraulic engineers who will be requested to prepare plans and specifications. After a set of plans have been adopted bids for the construction of the plant will be advertised for and before the dry season again comes around Fort Wayne will have an abundance of water.

Now, while the water works trustees and the special council committee are to be commended for the prosecution of its aims to a successful termination due credit should not be withheld from the man who first presented the idea in practical form to the attention of the city authorities. That man is Louis A. Centlivre. Mr. Centlivre, ever since the discovery of a deep rock well near the Centlivre brewery, while drilling for gas, has contended that there is plenty of water under the city. He preached his theory until he got tired and then being so well satisfied of the correctness of his opinion he proceeded to demonstrate it. At his own expense he fitted up a deep well pump, erected an engine and attached his apparatus to an abandoned well. He started his machinery and produced a quarter of a million gallons from a well that was not supposed to yield nine quarts. This was kept up for days and weeks and the public was obliged to concede that Mr. Centlivre was right. It cost him many hundreds of dollars, thousands, perhaps, but he established the fact that there is a water supply within reach, and he did not ask a cent for his demonstration. It was found, however, that Mr. Centlivre's system was an expensive one and that it was not practicable in the shape it was tested. That was over two years ago. Meantime the trustees were busy and finally the air-lift system was tested with the result just cited. The means employed are different, but the principle involved is precisely the same and the result is a most happy one.

Mr. Centlivre's expensive devotion to his faith was a fine exhibition of public spirit and he will never get more for his financial sacrifices than the gratitude of the people, if he gets that. It is the most he can expect and the least he ought to get.

MUSIC HOUSE BURNED.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 26.—Fire which originated early today in some unknown manner on the top floor of the four-story brick building at 221 to 223 Woodward avenue, occupied by Grinnell Bros.'s music house, caused over $100,000 damage. Grinnell Bros. carried a stock valued at $140,000, and this morning they estimated their loss as $100,000, principally from smoke and water, with $50,000 insurance. Toquomy Bros.' dry goods house, which adjoined Grinnell Bros.' establishment on the south, was damaged $10,000 by smoke and water. The Wesson estate, owners of the building occupied by Grinnell Bros., suffered a loss of $5,000, fully covered by insurance.

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FIRE IN A HOTEL.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 26.—Fire in the Cordova hotel today, supposed to have been caused by crossed electric wires, was extinguished with a loss of less than $15,000. There was no panic among the guests.

NEVER HAD A COLD

Since I began carrying a package of Krause's Cold Cure Capsules in my vest pocket. I take one whenever I feel a cold coming on. It's easy. Price 25c. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets

WILL DEMAND EXPLANATIONS.

Oporto, Feb. 26.—It is understood the Brazilian government will demand explanations from Portugal for the attempt made to abduct the daughter of the Brazilian consul here and place her in a convent against the wishes of her father. A collision between the police and students last evening rsulted in numbers on both sides being injured. The police invaded the institute in pursuit of the students and the professors protested to the government. A dispatch received here from Rio Janiro says that a mob at that place stoned the Portuguese representative on account of the incidents at Oporto.

HE CARRIED AN IRON BAR

WITH IT BRAINED WOMEN ON THE STREETS.

The Arrest of Denver's Mysterious Murderer—Has Assaulted a Score of Women.

Denver, Col., Feb. 26. Albert Cowan is under arrest on suspicion of being the mysterious prowler who struck down three women with an iron bar last Friday night and who has murderously assaulted nearly a score of women on the streets in the last six months.

According to Chief of Detectives Armstrong Cowan carried an iron bar about a foot in length, a revolver and a supply of cartridges. It is said he answers the meagre descriptions of the man wanted.

Questioned by Captain Armstrong the prisoner said he had been persecuted by women. He said he came from Virginia and had lived here a year.

Of the three women assaulted last Friday night one is dead and another is dying.

CONTAGION AND INFECTION.

La Grippe is Infectious, but Not Contagious.

Contagious diseases are communicated from one person to another; infectious diseases are conveyed through the air.

Smallpox is a contagious disease: la grippe is infectious. When an epidemic of the grip is prevailing it is in the air we breathe and no one is safe.

The only safeguard is to keep the system in the highest possible condition of health and on the first appearance of a cold in the head to use some safe antiseptic like Stuart's Catarrh Tablets freely, a tablet taken every hour or two for a couple of days will be sufficient to break up the attack.

La grippe attacks the weakest part of the system; it may be the lungs, heart, liver, stomach or kidneys, but wherever it finally locates it almost invariably starts with cold in the head and throat, or, in other words, the disease at the beginning is acute catarrh.

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Dr. Anniston, says: Stuart's Catarrh Tablets being free from cocaine and harmful drugs, should be freely used at this time of year on the first appearance of grip symptoms.

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Dr. Lewiston says: My usual prescription for the grip is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, which can be found at all drug stores. Keep to the house for a day or two and use the tablets freely, and I have never heard any complaint of failure to cure.

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THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—May wheat opened today ⅛@¼c lower to unchanged at 76⅛c to 76¼@76⅜c. Elevator people sold at the start, but the small northwest receipts caused covering by shorts and the market rallied sharply to 76⅝c. Local receipts were 95 cars, none of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 210 cars against 367 last week and 592 a year ago.

There was a fair general trade in corn early. May opened ⅛@¼c lower at 41⅛c to 41c and sold to 40⅞c because of the receipts, 633 cars. The decline brought out buying orders and a rally to 41⅛c followed.

Oats were dull and influenced by other grains. May opened a shade to ⅛c lower at 25¾c to 25⅝@25⅞c, touched 25⅝c, but rallied to 25¾c. Receipts were 448 cars.

Provisions were quiet, a trifle easier on local selling. May pork opened 2½c lower at $14.17½ and sold to $14.12½; May lard unchanged at $7.55, dropping to $7.52½, and May ribs unchanged at $7.15, declining to $7.12½.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—Feb., 74½@74⅝c; March, 76¼@76⅝c; May, 76⅛@76¼c.

Corn—Feb., 39⅛c; March, 39⅜c; May, 41c.

Oats—Feb., 24⅛@24¾c; May, 25⅝@25¾c.

Pork—Feb., $13.90; May, $14.07½; July, $13.95.

Lard—Feb., $7.42½@7.45; March, $7.42½@7.45; May, $7.47½@7.50; July, $7.50; Sept., $7.62½.

Ribs—Feb., $7.02½; May, $7.07½; Sept., $7.20@7.27½.

Flax—Cash No. 1, $1.62½; May, $1.62½@1.64.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; market generally steady except poor to medium steers. Good to prime steers, $4.95@6.00; poor to medium, 3.50@4.90; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.50; cows, $2.60@4.60; heifers, $2.60@4.50; canners, $2.00@2.55; bulls, $2.40@4.20; calves, $4.00@6.40; Texas fed steers, $4.00@4.90; Texas grass steers, $3.35@4.00; Texas bulls, $2.50@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts today, 27,000; tomorrow, 30,000; left over, 2,282. Market steady to strong; top, $5.60. Mixed and butchers, $5.40@5.60; good to choice heavy, $5.50@5.60; rough heavy, $5.35@5.45; light, 5.35@5.55; bulk of sales, $5.50@5.55.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Feb. 26.—The market opened feverish and unsettled under the influence of conflicting movements in the Steel stocks. The sale of 5,000 shares of Steel and Wire carried that stock down from 43¼ to 43, compared with 45 last night. On the other hand American Hoop, on the sale of 5,000 shares, was quoted at 37 and 35½, compared with 35 last night. National Tube rose 1½. The other members of the group showed fractional changes both ways.

The changes in the railroad list were also mixed and the International stocks generally failed to respond to the advances in London.

Prices of the Steel stocks underwent rapid fluctuations following the publication of authorized details of terms on which the stocks of the various steel companies will be exchanged into the new United States Steel corporation.

A heavy selling movement developed while the street was analyzing the terms offered which drove Steel and Wire 2¼ below last night, the preferred and National Steel 1½ and lowered American Hoop preferred and National Tube 2 points below the high price at the start.

Federal Steel preferred declined 1½ from the best, while Tin Plate suffered a point. American Hoop receded to 35, but Federal Steel ruled better than at the start. Heavy liquidation of the Smelting stocks lowered them 5 and 3¼ respectively for the common and preferred.

In the general prices were easier for railroads, but Tobacco stocks were strong, American Tobacco rising 1½ and Continental Tobacco 1⅝.

Toward 11 o'clock there was a rise to 37½ for American Hoop and Steel and Wire, National Tube, National Steel and Tennessee Coal recovered 1@1½.

The general market also recovered and trading became dull. The railroads became generally strong. St. Paul was the leader and rose rapidly from 148 to 151¾. Such stocks as Burlington, Rock Island, Great Northern preferred, Pennsylvania, New York Central, Atchison, Kansas and Texas preferred, Northern Pacific, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific gained a point or over and Delaware and Hudson and Missouri Pacific were benefited 2¾ and 2⅜ respectively. Minneapolis and St Louis stocks were active and the common rose 1 and the preferred 2½. The Steel group was feverish and under steady pressure. Tin Plate lost 2¾ in all and Tennessee Coal, National Tube, Steel and Wire, common and preferred, ½. Steel stocks were at the lowest from 1 to 2 points under last night's close. American Hoop and General Electric ran off 2 and rallied sharply and Continental Tobacco preferred advanced 2 points. Bonds were lower.

THE MONEY MARKET.

New York, Feb. 26.—Money on call nominally at 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3¾@4½ per cent; sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87¼ for demand and at $4.83⅞@4.84 for 60 days; posted rates, 4.84¾@4.85 and $4.88; commercial bills, $4.83@4.84½ silver certificates, 61½@63c; bar silver, 61c; Mexican dollars, 48½c.

ABOUT THE COURT HOUSE.

The circuit court adjourned this morning until tomorrow. A number of cases set for today were settled out of court and in consequence an adjournment was taken.

The divorce case of Ormiston vs. Ormiston was settled out of court and dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

The supplemental proceedings in the case of the McCoy Lumber company vs. Osborne et al is on trial in the superior court with J. B. Harper sitting as special judge.

Frederick Koenig has commenced suit against William Bradtmiller for slander and fixes his damages at $5,000, for which sum he asks judgment. Koenig charges that Bradtmiller, in the presence of Charles Smith and others, charged him, Koenig, with having stolen his gun. Koenig says he knows nothing about Bradtmiller's gun and the statement that he had stolen it damaged his reputation to the extent of at least $5,000. Breen & Morris are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Sheriff Stout has received a letter from Redfield, Ohio, asking for information concerning one John Mulvey or Mulroy, supposed to be demented. No such person is known here.

The county commissioners will be in session again tomorrow forenoon.

This afternoon Ada Flinn filed a complaint for divorce from William Flinn. The complaint alleges that the two were married in 1877 and lived together for less than a year, when the plaintiff was obliged to separate from the defendant by reason of his cruel treatment of her, and that she has continued to live apart from him ever since and has since supported herself. No children issued from the marriage.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Charles J. Pelegrini and L. Janita Stone.

Oral W. Geiseking and Myrtle A. Hyndman.

John T. Snyder and Cora B. Edgington.

Plennie A. Parker and Sophia Hays.

CANVASSERS AT WORK.

Only fragmentary reports of the work of the auditorium canvassers are as yet coming to the committee, but Mr. Thieme said this afternoon that these reports were of the most encouraging nature. Very nearly a full force of solicitors are at work.

LOCAL LINES.

The Retail Clothing Clerks' union will meet this evening.

Rev. Brose and Louis Bower, of Auburn, are business visitors in the city today.

Reid Dugan, of Richmond, who has been the guest of Fred Ash, has returned home.

Mrs. Emil Strauss, of Garth, Mich., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. Martz, of West Jefferson street.

Reinhard Summers, who injured his back several days ago, has improved considerably and is again able to be about.

W. M. Swayne, of the firm of Swayne & Swayne, left today for Los Angeles, Cal., for the benefit of his health.

M. F. Belger left on Monday for an extended trip through cities in the east in the interest of the C. L. Centlivre Brewing Co.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Kees, of Chicago—a son. Mr. Kees was formerly a boilermaker in the Wabash shops and is well known in the city.

Willis Bash was thrown from his buggy this afternoon, on Harrison street, by the breaking of an axle. He was not injured and the horse was caught before any damage was done.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Ernest Mauery, of Wakarusa, which occurred today. The deceased was a niece of Julius Doriot and Mrs. Peter Periguay, of this city, and had other relatives in Fort Wayne.

There will be evening services and preaching at St. John's Reformed church every Wednesday evening until Easter. The services will be held in the church and not in the schoolhouse, as announced last Sunday.

Mrs. Josiah King received word this morning that her niece, Miss Ethel Dinius, of Huntington, is very ill from appendicitis. Miss Dinius spent her vacation last summer with Mrs. King and has a number of warm friends in the city.

A WABASH WRECK

PASSENGER TRAIN DERAILED NEAR MILLERSBURG.

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LARGE NUMBER OF PERSONS WERE INJURED.

MANY PHYSICIANS SUMMONED

SOME OF THE INJURED MAY BE FATALLY HURT.

Goshen, Ind., Feb. 26.—Wabash limited train No. 9 jumped the track near Benton, Ind., today. Four cars left the track, and although nearly every passenger aboard the train was injured no one was killed. Among the injured are:

J. A. Seligman, baggage agent on Erie railroad.

Rev. J. W. Vanderlip, Ransom, Kas.

J. A. Lorimore, of Chicago, en route home from Canada; not series.

Mrs. J. A. Lorimore, hurt internally; will die.

Mrs. S. E. Barker, of Chicago, internally injured and badly bruised.

W. L. Gomez, Schenectady, N. Y., head badly cut.

Abraham Fowler, Corning, Mont., back believed to have been broken; will die.

H. Kusche, Wilkesbarre, Pa., bruised; not serious.

Mr. Kuesche pulled Fowler out of the wreckage and probably saved his life, for a time at least.

Special trains were hurried to the scene from all nearby points, bearing surgeons and nurses. The injured were well cared for, and those not seriously hurt proceeded on their journey a few hours later.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 26.—Advices received in Toledo this morning from Goshen, Ind., are to the effect that thirty persons were injured, two fatally, but that nobody was killed, by the wreck of Wabash passenger train No. 9, at Millersburg, Ind.

The train consisted of one combination car, three day coaches and two sleepers.

It was derailed by a broken rail, every coach and the engine leaving the track. The Lake Shore ran a special train from Goshen to the scene of the wreck, taking twelve doctors, and the regular train took four or five doctors from Ligonier.

Such of the passengers as were not injured were provided by the Lake Shore with tickets and went on to Chicago on the regular Lake Shore train.

In addition to its other courtesies, the Lake Shore sent a specially heated coach to the scene of the wreck to care for the injured.

SAYS TWELVE WERE HURT.

Wolcottville, Ind., Feb. 26.—In the wreck of Wabash train No. 9, two and a half miles west of Millersburg, today, twelve passengers were severely injured, several of whom will die. All the passengers were more or less bruised and injured.

The engine passed safely over the broken rail which caused the accident, but the six cars comprising the train left the track and rolled down a steep fifty-foot embankment. Some of the coaches turned completely over several times. Details are coming in very slowly, as the wreck occurred three miles from a telegraph station.

TRAIN WAS LATE.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 26.—Wabash train No. 9, which was derailed at Millersburg, Ind., at 9:15 this morning, left Detroit at 4:50 a. m., two hours late, carrying forty-four passengers. Advice received by Division Superintendent Burns says that while many of the passengers were hurt, no one was killed.

MEETING OF EDUCATORS.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Prominent educators from all parts of the United States are here attending the annual convention of college and school superintendents of the National Educational association, which opened today at University hall, in the Fine Arts building. Representatives of fourteen universities composing the Association of American Universities began their second annual meeting in Haskell hall, at the University of Chicago, today. The subjects to be discussed are concerned mainly with the work of the graduate schools. Prior to the opening of the first session this afternoon the members of the association were entertained at luncheon by President Harper at the Quadrangle club.

Miss Alice Linam, the missionary from China who spoke in the city Sunday and Monday, has returned to her home at Leesburg. Miss Linam was the guest of Mrs. C. C. Schlatter.

It costs £13,146,000 per annum to run the government of London.

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Mrs. E. I. Masters, at her home in Monitor, Ind., used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills to cure after effects of grip.

Mrs. A. E. Lopeer, in the little town of Modella, Minn., used Dr. Miles' Pain Pills and Nerve and Liver Pills and was well in a few days.

George J. Flannery was relieved of the awful pains in his head in fifteen minutes by the use of Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. Now he is rapidly recovering at his home in Buffalo, N. Y.

J. C. Helfrey, foreman at the Westinghouse factory in East Pittsburg, had a severe attack of grip, but he used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pain Pills and was soon back in his place.

Rev. C. Body was in a serious condition at his home in St. Paris, O., but Dr. Miles' Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills pulled him through all right.

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RAMSAY'S PLANS

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MADE MANY SECRET VISITS

AND HAD ENTERPRISE UNDER WAY BEFORE DISCOVERED.

NEWS OF THE SHOP AND RAIL

NEW PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION OPERATOR ARRIVES.

Yesterday's Pittsburg Dispatch contained a lengthy account of the new Wabash project—a line into Pittsburg. The origin of the project and subsequent developments are thus given by that paper:

The Carnegie tonnage is not all that is assured, as it is understood that negotiations are now pending for the transportation of a large share of the immense tonnage of the Pittsburg Coal company, which has thousands of acres of virgin coal lands in Washington county which were purchased since the company was organized and which the new line pierces. The total tonnage that will be reached by the new trunk line and its terminals runs into the millions, and the road will enter Pittsburg under the most favorable auspices of any similar enterprise in the last forty years. Surveys for the road have been made, terminals have been secured and the scheme is far advanced toward the stage of perfection. The promoters, however, have guarded their project with the utmost jealousy and they have delayed the announcement to the public. They were unwilling yesterday that their secret should be divulged.

Joseph Ramsey, the real projector of the scheme, has been casting his eyes toward the heavy tonnage of the Pittsburg district for many years, and the rumors that the Wabash was intending to enter Pittsburg have become threadbare with age. No one believed that either Mr. Gould or Mr. Ramsey had serious intentions in this direction. About a year ago, however, Mr. Ramsey began making frequent and prolonged trips to his boyhood city, ostensibly on visits to his relatives and old friends.

It is said that on these trips he carefully planned for an entrance into the tonnage district, and frequent prospecting journeys were made to the great undeveloped territory south of the Monongahela river. The trips finally crystallized into the dispatching of surveying corps and for many months all of the available routes were inspected by both the surveyors and the promoters.

About the same time that these operations were started James S. Kuhn, president of the Pittsburg Bank for Savings; W. S. Kuhn, his brother, and E. K. Morse, a well known local bridge and construction engineer, began the preparation of plans for a complete and far-reaching terminal system, which they chartered as the Consolidated Terminal company of Pittsburg. The primary object of this system was to pave the way for the entrance of one or more trunk lines into Pittsburg, the need of which has grown so plain during the heavy business of the past two years that shippers have cried out in alarm. Plans reaching to every point where tonnage could be secured were prepared, and these included the linking up of the Monongahela connecting railroad of Jones & Laughlins, which crosses the Monongahela river at Soho on a bridge of its own, taps the Eliza furnaces of Jones & Laughlins, the Continental Tube works of the National Tube company, and several other mill properties along Second avenue that are consumers and producers of tonnage.

The Monongahela also runs up and down the southside, reaching every portion of the great mills of Jones & Laughlins. Its extensions down the river is easily possible, for heavy tonnage awaits it there. It is surprising, but it is said to be a fact, that this road operates between sixty and seventy-five miles of standard gauge tracks in the city limits. It operates ten or twenty locomotives and several hundred cars.

The Kuhn plans provide for the connection of the Monongahela with the Union railroad of the Carnegie Steel company, which runs from a point not far east of the Pittsburg city line at Baldwin station on up the south side of the Monongahela river through the Homestead steel works, on up to Duquesne and the Duquesne steel works, with lines across a great hot metal bridge at Rankin to the Carrie furnaces of the Carnegie company, and at Port Perry to the Edgar Thompson steel works at Braddock. This Union railroad operates about eighty miles of track of its own and fifteen miles of leased track from Bessemer to North Bessemer, where the terminus of the Pittsburg, Bessemer and Lake Erie railroad is. The company operates about 100 locomotives and 200 cars and is owned by the Carnegie company, and may possibly become one of the important railroad properties of Mr. Morgan and the Standard Oil officials.

Egg Baking Powder.... is being demonstrated in the Crockery Department of Rurode Dry Goods Co., In charge of Prof. Doyle and also at The People's Store. All Welcome.

THREE UNFORTUNATES.

Three Wabash shopmen are temporarily disabled, the result of accidents yesterday. Machinist James Olive attempted to throw a belt off a pulley, when the fingers of his left hand were drawn between the pulley and belt and skinned and squeezed painfully. A. E. Arick, a laborer, had the bone of the little finger of his left hand broken by getting it between car wheels. E. J. Gephard, of the boiler shop, fell in a pit and suffered a sprained shoulder.

PREPARING FOR THE CHANGE.

Mr. J. G. Jennings, who is to succeed Mr. W. H. Tigar is chief train dispatcher of the western division of the Pittsburg, arrived here on No. 9 last evening. This morning he left upon a tour of the division to acquaint himself with the property and the men who will work under his directions hereafter. Mr. Jennings has been division operator at Cincinnati since January 1 1898. Previous to that date he was employed as operator and later dispatcher on the Cleveland and Pittsburg division. His first service was at Bellaire, Ohio. He is said to be one of the finest operators in the company's employ. Mr. Tigar is also out on the road today, arranging matters for the transfer of official authority. Friday he will assume the duties of his new office. Mr. Tigar also ranks with the most proficient in the telegrapher's line. He is, moreover, a most companionable man, and the men with whom he has been associated for so long hope his new duties will not take him out of the city permanently.

CHANGE IN DETECTIVE FORCE.

The Lima Times-Democrat of last evening published the following: "Detective Charles Rulo, of the Pennsylvania railroad police department, who has been located with his headquarters in this city for several months, is to be transferred to the Fort Wayne local force and will be succeeded here by Detective Charles Lamb, who for the past month has been with Captain Stoll in the service at Fort Wayne. The change will become effective tomorrow, and although Mr. Rulo's friends here will be sorry to learn that he is to be transferred, his successor promises to be equally the lion in ability and personality that has gained for Mr. Rulo the esteem of all whom he had met during his term of service here. Mr. Rulo's family lives in Fort Wayne and the change is made at his request in order that he may have more opportunity to be at home. Mr. Lamb's home is in Van Wert and he has only been in the servic of the Pennsylvania company's police department for about one month, but he is not an entire stranger in Lima, being quite well known among the local members of the Maccabees and Pathfinder orders."

ON EDUCATIONAL TOUR.

Capt. H. M. Deihl and the Pennsylvania air-brake instruction car left at noon today for Wellsville, where the captain will commence instructing the employes of the Cleveland and Pittsburg road in the use and care of air brakes. The captain will continue the educational work until he covers the entire northwestern system, which may consume five or six months. The car was tested yesterday and found to be in perfect order. It is equipped with twenty-five air brakes.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

A. C. Davis is in Louisville, Ky., in the interest of the Pennsylvania company.

Shop Clerk J. H. Hobrock and his assistants at the Pittsburg shops were photographed today.

The Pennsylvania is pushing work on its third and fourth main line track between Harrisburg and Altoona.

Fred Kummer, wagon painter and varnisher, has resigned a position at the Olds Wagon works that he has filled for fifteen years. Thursday he will go to Toledo to take a position in the Toledo Carriage works. The young man is the son of Albert Kummer, machinist in the Pittsburg shops. He is an expert at his trade.

H. Jacobs, J. D. Wright, C. Donahue and A. Girard, Pittsburg shopmen, are off duty on account of sickness.

Nickel Plate Brakeman J. D. Lause has recovered from an illness which kept him from his duties on the road three or four weeks.

Engineer M. V. Shaver returned to his duties on the Nickel Plate yesterday, after an absence of ten days on account of sickness.

Lawrence Becker, machinist at the Kerr Murray works, has recovered from his recent illness, which kept him from work several days.

The Fort Wayne Electric company today shipped a magnificent marble switchboard to Boston, where it will be placed in the old court house.

John Rapine resumed charge of the Pittsburg transfer engine crew this morning, after an absence of three or four days on account of sickness.

Ben Bowers, of the Pittsburg car machine shop, is off duty. A splinter in one of his hands has made the member so sore that he cannot work.

Moses Moten, stationary engineer at the Kerr Murray works, resumed his duties there yesterday. A week ago Mr. Moten fell and was severely injured.

G. S. Jordan has resumed his duties on the road, after an absence on account of the grip. Mr. Jordan is an engineer on the Lake Erie and Western road.

Firemen E. Heater and J. B. Lane resigned their positions on the Nickel Plate yesterday to engage in other work. They have worked on the road since last fall.

Brakeman T. J. Raridon is indulging in the pastime of juggling stovepipes, bedsteads and other pieces of household furniture. He is moving nearer the yards.

T. J. Murphy has taken a position in the train service of the Nickel Plate. For several years he occupied a similar position on the Grand Rapids and Indiana road.

William Lohmeyer, a moulder at the Bass foundry, was presented with a son yesterday. He is taking a lay off in order to properly celebrate the advent of the little fellow.

Brakeman J. W. Weigel has been transferred from Conductor Samuel Grable's through freight crew to the local freight crew of Conductor Van-Meter, on the Nickel Plate.

Assistant Foreman Frank J. Burns resumed work at the Pittsburg roundhouse this morning. He was confined to his home over a week with an acute attack of quinsy.

Fred Willson resumed his duties in the electric offices this morning. He was in St. Paul taking treatment from a noted physician, who says Fred will soon be as well as ever.

Conductor T. H. Seaney and Brakemen C. M. Marshall, W. B. Pierce and M. E. Baum reported for work on the Nickel Plate yesterday. The latter had been visiting friends out of the city.

The Packard company last week received orders from the Pacific coast country for three car loads of pianos. This and other orders places the factory in good shape as far as employment is concerned.

The Big Four has abolished the office of superintendent of terminals at Indianapolis and G. W. Bender, who occupied that position, has been made general agent of the company at Sandusky, Ohio.

On March 1 Robert Dudgen will retire as superintendent of the Buffalo division of the Lackawana, and will be succeeded by C. J. Phillips, formerly a superintendent on the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific.

By straightening its tracks, the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern road has been enabled to clip off two hours of the time consumed in making the run from Cincinnati and St. Louis. The distance is 334 miles.

A train load of United States soldiers, en route to the Philippines, passed through the city this morning. They were delivered to the Wabash at New Haven by the Nickel Plate. Col. R. G. Thompson, of the Wabash, accompanied the soldiers to St. Louis.

George and Edwin Gould are at New Orleans discussing the question of having five boats built in the interest of the Gould lines to operate between New Orleans and New York. George Gould is quoted as saying if the enterprise is undertaken he intends to have the steamers as fine as can be built.

Engineers G. W. Rhodes and H. Kelker and Fireman J. Larimore, of the Pittsburg, are off duty on account of sickness.

Engines 156, 266, 260, 328, 191, 352 and 185, all of the G-4-A pattern, are in the Pittsburg shops for general repairs.

Machinist W. S. Wells, of the Pittsburg, will leave tomorrow for Peru to attend a grand lodge meeting which convenes there Thursday morning.

Bert Keplinger, clerk at the electric light offices, is suffering from appendicitis. The attending physician hopes to avert the necessity of an operation.

The McKinnie house is making preparations to furnish supper Saturday evening to 225 Chicago school children, who are going to the McKinley inaugural at Washington.

Conductor W. F. Koontz and Brakeman J. H. Furste, of the Pittsburg, are off duty on account of injuries sustained by falling. Mr. Furste slipped off the caboose step and dislocated the knee cap.

E. G. Ericson, who is now chief of one of the engineering departments of the Pennsylvania company, with headquarters at Sewickly, returned to that city last night. While here he arranged to move his family to Sewickly this week.

Representatives of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen are conferring with officials of the New York Central over nonpayment of overtime. The matter will likely be settled satisfactorily, although the shortage is said to be in some cases $20 to $30 a month.

Indianapolis Journal: "Joseph Ramsey, vice president of the Wabash, has issued a statement that the proposed line connecting the Toledo and Detroit divisions will be completed by October. When completed it will give the Wabash a short line between Toledo and Chicago."

M. L. Sykes, vice president and secretary of the Chicago and Northwestern, has tendered his resignation, to become effective June 1, and E. G. Osborn has been selected as his successor. Mr. Sykes has held his present position thirty-one years, and retires on account of advanced age.

John Miller, a former passenger conductor on the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, arrived in the city last night for the purpose of packing up and moving his household effects to Oaklahoma. Mr. Miller has secured a good position on a railroad in the territory and expects to make that his future home.

Conductors W. F. Kuntz, P. A. Sullivan and J. P. Haley and Yard Brakeman J. P. Doyle, of the Pittsburg, are off duty on account of sickness. Conductors Granger and R. A. McCarthy and Brakemen C. Fissel, J. S. Harper, Charles Downs and J. P. Doyle, of the same road, reported for work yesterday, after being on the sick list a few days.

J. V. Gruber called at the Kerr Murray works yesterday to see his shopmates. Mr. Gruber was injured several weeks ago by jumping from the Commercial house window, in Kewanna, Ill., to escape from a fire which was raging in the building. He has not yet fully recovered from the injuries thus sustained, but is improving and will soon be able to resume work.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers has decided to contest the plan of a Chicago publishing house to force subscription books on the Erie railroad engineers. The chairman of the grievance committee is authorized to proceed to Chicago to secure the legal talent. The monthly pay of many engineers has been attached at Port Jervis by the publishers for books alleged to have been ordered two years ago.

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Next Wednesday Morning, February 27th,

The sale will open and you will have an opportunity of buying, in any amounts you wish, from the second consignment of these elegant $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 Silks, at 69c a yard.

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Don't Hesitate

If you are wise, you will buy now. The best things are picked up early. Now you will find assortments complete and you can look leisurely and secure the gems while the brightness is on them.

In Cotton Goods

The New Ginghams are here, more serviceable and beautiful than ever before and priced so reasonable that buying them will be a pleasure. There is a new waist material here called Silk Chambray, that is very handsome, as well as the newest styles in Toile du Nord Ginghams, Bates Seersucker Ginghams, Madras and Zephyr Ginghams, etc., prices at 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c a yard.

The First Showing

Of the new Wash Goods includes some very swell novelties in Silk Tissues, Organzines, Satine Batiste and Egyptian Tissues in the newest colorings. These dainty fabrics are in great demand and at our low prices will move quickly.

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In the new Challies and Waist Cloths. The designs are beautiful. The colorings choice and the fabric exceedingly fashionable. We price them at 35c, 39c, 50c, 58c and 75c a yard.

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To patch up your winter suit with a pair of new trousers. We will during this month close out our heavy-weight trouserings that sold at $7 and $8 for six dollars. They are strictly pure worsted, the latest patterns, and twenty styles from which to make your selections. See our window display of these trouserings.

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TUESDAY, FEB. 26, 1901.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Forecast for Indiana: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; variable winds.

LOCAL LINES.

Christian Andrews, of Chicago, is the guest of friends in the city.

Attorney B. F. Harper has returned from a business visit in Angola.

Mrs. A. Bayer, of St. Mary's avenue, is confined to her home with a dislocated wrist, the result of a fall.

Will Young, of the Packard music store, will go to Washington, D. C., on Friday to witness the inauguration of President McKinley next week.

The steel girders for the new Third Presbyterian church will arrive this week and work on the structure, which has been suspended for some months, will be resumed.

W. Peckham, of Ohio, who was operated upon by Dr. W. H. Myers three weeks ago at St. Joseph's hospital, left that institution for home Monday, completely recovered.

The Progressive Aid society of the Spiritualists will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Powers, 166 East Wayne street, on Wednesday afternoon. The subject, "Evolution of Religion," will be discussed.

The Ladies' auxiliary to the O. R. C. will be entertained Wednesday afternoon and evening at the home of Mrs. Tom Coleman, 76 John street. Mrs. Coleman will be assisted by Mrs. McGee. The husbands of the ladies are invited in the evening.

Mrs. Manyan, of Monroeville, was operated upon five days ago and the operation, a most serious one, involving the removal of the appendix and an abdominal tumor, made her recovery extremely doubtful. The operation was successfully performed by Dr. W. H. Myers, assisted by Drs. Mentzer and Young, and her friends will be gratified to know that she is recovering.

The sale of personal property, including farming implements, milch cows, etc., the property of Thomas Turflinger, is in progress this afternoon. A large number of Fort Waynetes are in attendance. Mr. Turflinger assumes his position as superintendent of the poor farm a week from Monday. March 4th will witness the inauguration of two great men. Mr. Turflinger weighs over 300 pounds and President McKinley weighs some.

David McNaught, the Fort Wayne athlete who is studying at Wabash college, in Crawfordsville, figured prominently in the recent dual track meet held at the university. Mr. McNaught captured first in the twenty yard dash and third in the shot put, his competitors being athletes from two of the leading colleges of Indiana. In honor of his victory he was admitted to membership in the Phi Delta Thea fraternity, an honor never before conferred on a freshman at the college. Mr. McNaught is a member of the university athletic team and will be one of the representatives of Wabash college at the great international athletic meet to be held at Buffalo during the Pan-American exposition this year.

PINEAPPLES, MALAGA GRAPES, ORANGES AND LEMONS.

Extra Florida Pineapples, 30c each.
Fresh Malaga Grapes, 20c lb.
Choice California Oranges, 20c doz.
Extra Naval Oranges, 30c dozen.
Florida Russett Oranges, 35c dozen
Fancy Baldwin Apples, 40c; Greenings, 45c peck.
Extra large California Celery, 9c stalk.
Jes Cape Cod Cranberries, 12c qut.
Choice Bermuda Onions, 12c qut.
Large Spanish Onions, 5c lb.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

FREE EMBROIDERY LESSONS AT MISS LOWRY'S.

A one week's course of free embroidery lessons by expert Japanese teacher begins Monday, March 4th. For particulars inquire this week at new store, 98 Calhoun street, opposite Fruit House. 26-eod-3t

FRESH MEATS—FISH.

Fresh Pickerel, 9c lb.
Fresh Smoked Salmon, 14c lb.
Selected Yarmouth Bloaters, 2½c each.
Genuine Holland Herring, 2½c each.
Large Family White Fish, 10c each
Genuine Cod Fish Bricks, 7c lb.
Selected Cod Fish Middles, 12c lb.
Extra Large Fat Mackerel, 25c each.
Nice Fat Mackerel, 10c each.
Shoulder Cuts, Beef Roasts, 8c lb.
Best Cuts, Sirloin Steaks, 12½c lb.
Best Boiling Beef, 5-6c lb.
Fresh Pork Shoulders, 8c lb.
Fresh Neck Bones, 2½c lb.

GREATEST GROCERY CO.

HE RECOVERED HIS HORSE

LIVERYMAN FULTON FINDS A STOLEN ANIMAL.

Was in a Wabash Livery Stable, Where It Had Been Left by Two Boys Last Thursday.

C. W. Fulton, the livery man, returned last evening from Wabash, where he went to recover a horse and buggy stolen from him by a young fellow who hired it last Tuesday evening. The horse was found at the livery barn of George Freeman at Wabash, where it had been left. The buggy had been traded for a sleigh at Huntington, so Mr. Fulton drove back to Huntington in the sleigh and then got his buggy and drove home. The horse had been left at the Wabash stable by two boys who, however, evidently became frightened and skipped out, as they were never seen afterwards, and there whereabouts at present are unknown. A buffalo robe, which the boys had sold, was also recovered by Mr. Fulton.

The trade for the sleigh was made at the livery barn of Waltermire & Black, of Huntington. On Thursday morning two young men drove up to the Harter barn at that city and stated that they were from Elmore, Ill., and were on their way to Kalamazoo, Mich. They wanted to trade their buggy for a sleigh, but Mr. Harter thought there was some crookedness connected with the deal, and would not trade. The young men then went to the barn of Waltermire & Black, where they succeeded in making a trade.

Mr. Waltermire stated that he supposed the boys were honest and that they told a straight forward story. They said they were brothers and their names were Robinson. They claimed they were going to Michigan to secure work. Their buggy was perfectly clean and this caused Mr. Waltermire to suspicion something, and he asked them how they could drive all the way from Illinois and keep their buggy so clean. They said they had lain over a few days at Wabash and had driven up that morning. The boys seemed to be telling an honest story and Mr. Waltermire made the trade, giving the boys a sum of money to boot. The boys left the barn at 4 o'clock that afternoon and said they would drive to South Whitley and put up over night, and then make the start for Kalamazoo. They had two grips with them which they said contained their clothing.

They did not go to South Whitley, but went to Wabash, where they put up at the barn of George Freeman. They said they would call for the outfit later. In the meantime Mr. Freeman received a telegram from Sheriff Stout stating that a horse and buggy had been stolen there and that it was headed toward Wabash. The Wabash liveryman telegraphed back that he thought he had the outfit, the only difference being that the buggy must have been swapped for a sleigh. Word was immediately sent to Huntington, and then the whole thing was made clear.

MORE SMALLPOX CASES.

Cases of smallpox were reported by the county health officers at No. 170 Brackenridge street and 264 East Creighton avenue and last night smallpox cards were put up. This makes a total of nine cases in the city at this writing, the Oliver, Laselle and Superior street cases having been released from quarantine. The occasional cases reported in the city this winter, while in no wise epidemic in character, nevertheless speak volumes for the urgent need of a hospital for contagious diseases. Dr. Drayer, who was in Indianapolis a few days ago, speaks eloquently of the benefits of such a hospital as is maintained at the state capital. There when a case of smallpox is discovered the patient is taken to the hospital, the house is disinfected and the inmates vaccinated and that is about all there is to it. The hospital itself is a model. It is clean and comfortable and in every way better equipped in the way of comforts and nurses than any home possibly could be and the mortality rate is reduced to a minimum.

FATHER DIED IN FORT WAYNE.

A dispatch from Marion says that Catherine Frederickson, aged 19, staying at the home of her sister, Mrs. Edward Stevens, that city, yesterday was told that she must return to her mother's home at Montpelier. The girl replied that she would die first. She went to a drug store, bought ten grains of morphine, took eight grains and died at 10 o'clock last night. Her father died at Fort Wayne and her mother moved to Montpelier. Another sister, Mrs. Albert Champion, lives at Dunkirk.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Harrison, of 557 East Washington street, are confined to their home with severe illness.

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Nothing Can Undermine It in Fort Wayne.

People are sometimes slow to recognize true merit and they cannot be blamed, for so many times in the past they have been humbugged. The experince of hundreds of Fort Wayne residents expressed publicly through newspapers and other sources places Doan's Kidney Pills on a firm foundation.

Mr. S. E. Beck, of 104 Ewing street, says: "Ever since I had my foot cut off six years ago I had symptoms of kidney trouble. I don't know whether it was the shock of the accident or the effects of the operation, but whichever it was, I had kndney complaint, and try what I would I could not get relief until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Meyer Bros. & Co.'s drug store and began taking them. My back ached very bad at times and I could hardly stoop. The first few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills did me a great deal of good, and in a short time the symptoms disappeared."

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EMPLOYERS SIGNING SCALE

CONTRACTORS AND CARPENTERS GETTING TOGETHER.

Meeting Held Last Evening at Which Many Signed Wage Agreement for One Year.

Between thirty-five and forty of the contractors and builders of the city have, it is learned, signed the wage agreement prepared by the Carpenters' union which is to govern wages to be paid during the coming building season.

A meeting of the contractors and the carpenters was held last evening at the Olympia Band hall in the Tri-State building, and a number of the contractors attached their signatures to the agreement recently prepared by the Carpenters' union, agreeing that the scale for the coming year shall be 35 cents per hour for journeymen carpenters, 25 cents per hour for second grade workmen, and 20 cents per hour for apprentices who have served two years at the trade. The agreement provides that the scale shall go into effect April 1, and shall be effective for one year.

This is the scale formulated some time ago and submitted to the contractors, and up to this time only about half of the employers have signed it, though one of them today expressed the belief that very nearly all would do it before April 1. The wages heretofore have been around 25 cents, and another contractor, who has not yet signed the new agreement, stated that he doubted if all the leading contractors would do so.

DUE AT ALEXANDRIA TODAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fox and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dreier, who are making a tour of Europe and the Holy Land, are due to arrive at Alexandria, Egypt, today. John Mohr, jr., has just received a card from Mr. Fox. It is dated at Maderia, Feb. 7, and reads:

"Our first stop was a revelation. This in unquestionably the quaintest place I ever saw. The above picture (a crude sledge drawn by oxen) gives you some idea of how we glided around the town. Business men slide down the hills on sledges in the morning when they go to their business. We have two days here. We had a good voyage and all are well. We will drink a little Maderia to your health at dinner today."

If you think of anything of ours that you want to make yours—better make the change this week during the sale.

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Karpen's Guaranteed Couches; patented all-steel construction. No springs tied with twine, sure to wear and break after a short time. Springs are held in place by steel tapes, that can never wear. Printed guarantee given with each of these couches. Prices for this special line are from $15 to $25. We have the sole agency in Fort Wayne.

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The rate will be: From Chicago, $30.00; from St. Louis, Memphis and New Orleans, $27.50; from Omaha, Kansas City, etc., $25.00. Corresponding low rates from all other points east and north.

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The Fort Wayne Sentinel.

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ESTABLISHED 1833. FORT WAYNE, IND. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1901. PRICE TWO CENTS

NEGRO HANGED THEN BURNED

Terre Haute Mob Batters Down Jail Doors and String Up George Ward.

LIVING BODY THROWN INTO FIRE

Mob's Work Done in Midday After a Fight With Jail Officials---Ward's Crime Was Murder of Ida Finkelstein---Had Made Confession.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 26—George Ward, a colored man, aged twenty-seven years, was taken from the Vigo county jail here shortly after noon today by an infuriated mob and lynched. He was first hanged to a bridge and afterward his body was thrown into a huge bonfire and cremated.

Ward, who was formerly employed in the car works here, was arrested here today and charged with the robbery, assault and murder of Ida Finkelstein, the school teacher, who was found dying last evening in a grove outside the city.

A MOB GATHERS.

The news of the crime had wrought the people of this city to a high pitch of indignation and when the report of Ward's confession of his guilt of the monstrous crime spread among the people popular fury knew no bounds.

At 12:30 this afternoon a mob desperately infuriated gathered in front of the county jail, where Ward had been taken for safety and began an assault on the prison with the purpose of seizing the murderer and lynching him.

The mob battered down the outer door, when Jailer Lawrence Odell appeared with a shotgun and fired over the heads of the mob in a vain effort to stampede them. The mob replied to the shots from the jail and three deputy sheriffs were wounded by shots from the crowd.

MOB REINFORCED.

Ward's confession was passed through the streets and the crowd, reinforced by hundreds of recruits, redoubled its attack on the jail.

At 12:45 they succeeded in reaching Ward's cell.

He was quickly dragged out to the street and lynched.

The sheriff was absent when the mob descended upon the jail. His deputies put up a vigorous resistance and at first appeared to have successfully beaten off the crowd; but, on the second onslaught, the infuriated mob, variously estimated at from two to three thousand in number, swept away all obstacles.

Ward was dragged from his cell, a rope was placed around his neck and he was dragged down the street to a wagon bridge spanning the Wabash river.

On the way to the bridge, three blocks distant, Ward was beaten with clubs and repeatedly shot at.

THROWN INTO FLAMES.

He was unconscious and, in all probability, dead when the loose end of the rope was tied to a timber of the bridge and his body swung out over the stream. A strand of the rope suddenly broke and the leaders, fearing their prey might drop into the river, hastily draw the body back upon the bridge.

It was dragged across to the west side. A huge bonfire was quickly built, the body was thrown upon the pyre and in a short time was burned to a crisp.

BURNING OF THE NEGRO.

Ward's body was laid across the fire, the feet projecting from one side and the head from the other.

Members of the mob were dissatisfied with the conflagration, however, and quantities of oil and turpentine were poured upon the pile. The flames leaped higher and higher and in a short time little was left of the negro.

A vast crowd witnessed the final act of the lynching. When the mob dragged Ward to the bridge and prepared to hang him a great crowd collected along the river side. This kept on increasing in size, as the thousands of men, women and children hurried to the scene.

VAST CROWD SEES TRAGEDY.

After it was determined to burn the negro a bar was placed across the bridge to prevent the crowd from pressing closer and when the fire was lighted and the body thrown into the flames, the east bank of the river, the bridges up and down the stream, and hundreds of housetops were black with spectators from whom not a word of pity escaped, although many deprecated the burning of the body.

Those who took an active part in the lynching made no attempt to disguise.

NEGRO PROBABLY CRAZY.

Ward had recently been discharged from an insane asylum as cured, and apparently was yet demented. In his confession Ward said Miss Finklestein taunted him about his color and then struck him in the face. In a fit of anger he shot her and then cut her throat.

A blood-stained knife found in his pockets, corroborated the statement. Ward, when first captured, strenuously denied his guilt, but when severely questioned, finally confessed.

He failed to explain, however, how he came to be engaged in conversation with the victim, and the officials believe it was either an unprovoked murder or the deed of a maniac.

THE CRIME.

Miss Finklestein was walking homeward yesterday afternoon from her country school over a lonely road to the main highway to take a trolley car to the city when she fell a victim to her murderous assailant.

The negro had a shotgun and game bag, and had been hunting when he called to her to stop. Instead, she ran, and he fired at her, some of the shot striking in the hair of her head.

She stopped, and when the negro came up to her Miss Finkelstein handed him her purse with $3 in it and started to go on, but he caught hold of her. She struggled to prevent an assault and he cut her throat.

After he had left her she walked half a mile to a house. She gave a complete description of the tall, copper-colored negro, and an interurban line conductor described the man as one of his passengers into the city at 6 o'clock.

Miss Finkelstein was assisted to the city and taken to a hospital, where she received the best of surgical aid, which, however, proved powerless to save her life.

Miss Finkelstein's father, who was a pack peddler, was murdered in a saloon in Hymera, seven years ago. She graduated from the high school, and spent two years in the state normal. She had been teaching in the country school two years. Her widowed mother and six younger children are now living in Chicago, and she was their main support.

OPPOSE M'KINLEY INVITATION.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 26.—Turney camp, Confederate Veterans, of Winchester, Tenn., has adopted another resolution in regard to inviting President McKinley to attend the Memphis reunion. The resolutions oppose the invitation "because it is contrary to the spirit of the constitution and laws of the association and tends to change the character and defeat the purpose of the organization, which is intended to be a purely and exclusive confederate organization for confederate veterans alone."

A NEW LINE OF STEAMERS.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Nine large vessels have been ordered by a Bremen steamship company with a view to the establishment of a line of German steamers from New York to South Africa and East India, according to United States Consul Monaghan at Chemnitz in a communication to the state department. The promoters of the enterprise believe, it is stated, that they will be able to compete with the British lines running to all parts of India and Africa. In addition to these plans, the consul says, the same company proposes to establish a line from New York to Mexico and the West Indies.

MINERS HAVE GRIEVANCES.

Denver, Col., Feb. 26.—A committee of the legislature, appointed to investigate the coal miners' strike in this state, has made a report which declares there is much justice in the complaints of the miners. The committee finds that the companies can afford to pay higher wages and that it is not fair for them to deny to their employes the same right to organize which they have themselves exercised. Remedial legislation is recommended, including an eight-hour day and anti-pooling laws.

THORPE AGAIN ARRESTED.

Jabez L. Thorpe was arrested again this morning on the corner of Jefferson and Calhoun streets. He was released from jail last Thursday for trying to entice little school girls into a saloon and frightening them by queer proposals. Immediately on his release he went back to the same old corner and recommenced his practices. Father Durham, of the Cathedral, reported the matter to the police and an officer was sent to watch him. Officer Coling made the arrest and the old fellow, who is a thorough reprobate, will probably be given a thirty-six-day sentence and then will be sent out of town.

A SMALL BLAZE.

At 9:20 this morning an alarm from box 127 called the fire department to the corner of Wayne and Walter streets, where a woodshed in the rear of the premises occupied by Fred Denius was found to be in flames. The woodshed and an adjoining out-building were destroyed and the fire communicated to the stable of Henry Becker. The latter was damaged to the extent of about $50 and about the same loss was entailed by the burning of the other two out-buildings. The fire is supposed to have originated through the carelessness of some children playing in the buildings.

IN JUSTICES' COURTS.

In Bullerman's court yesterday afternoon David Ludwig, a bartender, was fined $1 and costs for assault and battery on George McManus. The men had a dispute over an account and the result was that Ludwig pasted McManus on the jaw. The fine was paid.

The case of the state vs. Anias Boals, set for trial in Tancey's court this afternoon, has been continued until next Saturday.

SENATE RUSHES WORK.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 26.—(Special.)—The senate today smashed the record for rapid work, advancing fifty bills to second reading. The house passed the kidnapping bill, prescribing a penalty of from ten years to life imprisonment. The house also passed the oil inspector bill and advanced Brooks' express bill to third reading.

VANDERLIP RESIGNS.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The resignation of Hon. Frank A. Vanderlip, assistant secretary of the treasury, was announced at the department today to take effect upon the qualification of his successor, not later than March 8.

DENIAL BY GOMEZ.

Havana, Feb. 26.—General Gomez visited Governor General Wood this morning and assured him that the stories of unrest and dissatisfaction at the continuance of the United States intervention were false and that he had been misrepresented in statements to the effect that he favored the immediate withdrawal of the United States troops.

CHOKED ON OYSTER SHELL.

Mrs. Gus Jackson, while on a visit to her sister, Miss Nellie French, whose home is at No. 65 West Superior street, today, accidentally swallowed a piece of an oyster shell, which lodged in her throat. Dr. Van Buskirk was summoned at once and succeeded in dislodging the bit of shell. The injury, though painful, is not serious, consisting of a laceration of the throat.

AGREE FOR A TIME

PHILIPPINE AMENDMENT GIVEN A CHANCE.

DEMOCRATS GIVE CONSENT ONLY PURPOSE LETTING IT COME TO A VOTE.

TO FIGHT WHEN TIME COMES

THE DAY IN THE HOUSE AND THE SENATE.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The early part of today's session of the senate was devoted by a large part of the leading senators on both sides to secure a modification of the Philippine amendment to the army appropriation bill which would render it possible to secure a vote upon it. After several conferences an agreement was reached which was found to be satisfactory to a large majority of the senators. The amendment to the original provision yesterday suggested by Senator Hoar was used as the basis of discussion, but various additions were made to it, so that when he again offered it in the senate it was presented as a provision and read as follows:

"Provided, that no sale or lease or other disposition of the public lands or the timber thereon or the mining rights therein shall be made, and, provided further, that no franchise shall be granted which is not approved by the president of the United States and is not in his judgment clearly necessary for the immediate government of the islands and indispensable for the interest of the people thereof, and which cannot, without great public mischief, be postponed until the establishment of permanent civil government, and all such franchises shall terminate one year after the establishment of such permanent civil government."

Senators Morgan, Rawlins, Tillman and Bacon, who had been among the most determined opponents of the original proviso, were all consulted concerning the amendment, and all of them except Mr. Morgan indicated a willingness to let the amendment go through after reasonable debate. Senator Morgan did not commit himself. The democratic acquiescence does not go to the extent of agreeing to support the entire Philippines provision, but only to the point of allowing it to reach the voting stage. The republicans without exception accept the modification of the amendment.

During his speech on the amendment Mr. Morgan said that if it was the intention of Mr. Platt, of Connecticut, chairman of the committee on relations with Cuba, to press the Cuban amendment offered yesterday it would require considerable discussion, though he had no intention of filibustering.

IN THE SENATE.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Soon after the senate convened today a bill to supplement the existing law as to the disposition of public lands was passed. It provides for the division of lands in Oklahoma into counties for the establishment of county seats, for the erection of court houses and appointment of temporary county officials.

A house joint resolution was adopted authorizing the importation free of duty of articles intended to be exhibited at the San Antonio international fair and Dallas state fair and exposition.

Mr. Allison called up the conference report upon the District of Columbia appropriation bill.

The report was agreed to.

A resolution offered by Mr. Fairbanks calling upon the secretary of war for an English translation of the Cuban constitution was adopted.

Mr. Pettigrew's resolution coming over from a previous day calling upon the president, if not incompatible with the public interest, to inform the senate whether all telegrams from Manila prior to February 4, 1899, were subjected to censorship; and also to send to the senate a copy of the telegram of General Otis announcing the commencement of hostilities, the hour it was filed in Manila and some other collateral information, was agreed to without comment.

The resolution of Mr. Morgan, coming over from yesterday, declaring the Nicarauga canal bill the unfinished business of the senate, was called up. After Mr. Morgan had made a brief statement regarding the preliminary phases of the question, in the course of which he said he knew the enemies of the Nicarauga canal bill would employ every device to kill the measure, the resolution, upon his motion, was referred to the committee on rules.

IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 26.—At the opening of the session of the house today the senate bill to authorize the attorney general upon the request of the secretary of the interior to appear in suits relative to school lands was passed.

Mr. Payne, chairman of the committee on ways and means, from that committee reported the Sulzer resolution calling upon the secretary of the treasury for information regarding the imposition of countervailing duties on Russian sugar with the recommendation that it lie upon the table. He entered the motion to lie upon the table. That motion was not debatable.

Mr. Sulzer, the author of the resolution, appealed to Mr. Payne to allow him five minutes to make a statement regarding the resolution, but Mr. Payne declined to yield for that purpose. Upon division the motion prevailed 93 to 63.

Mr. Sulzer attempted to secure the ayes and noes, but only fourteen members upon his side backed his demand.

Mr. Sherman (N. Y.) presented a partial conference report upon the Indian appropriation bill, which was agreed to. The house further insisted upon its disagreement to the amendments still in issue except the two irrigation amendments placed upon the bill by the senate.

Mr. Little (Ark.) moved that the house recede and concur in the first of these amendments, which appropriated $100,000 for investigating the question of irrigation by a dam across the Gila river near San Carlos, Ariz.

It was arranged that there should be an hour's debate upon a side upon the proposition. Mr. Curtis (Kas.) opposed Mr. Little's motion.

Mr. Little's motion was lost, 58 to 97. The bill was sent back to further conference.

TO TRANSFER NEGOTIATIONS.

London, Feb. 26.—The Nicarauga canal negotiations have been or are on the point of being entirely transferred to Washington, as Ambassador Choate is not empowered to deal with the suggestions of the British government. The usual weekly cabinet meeting was held this afternoon.

NAVAL ARCHITECT DIES.

New York, Feb. 26.—Captain J. Lighthall, 53 years old, a well known civil engineer and naval architect, of Washington, D. C., is dead at the Bartholdi hotel. Death was due to heart failure. The body was removed to an undertaking establishment to await the instructions from the dead man's relatives. He has been staying at the hotel for a week and on Sunday night had complained of feeling ill. A physician who was called to attend him found that he was suffering from Bright's disease. When the chambermaid went to his room she found him sitting in a chair with a $10,000 check in his hand. The check was the price of a patent Mr. Lighthall had sold a few weeks ago to a street railway company. Death had evidently overtaken him while he was examining it.

GOES TO REMOTE PLACE.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The state department has been informed by Consul Fee at Bombay in a recent report that a steamer plying directly from New York city has arrived with an electric plant and outfit and party of engineers and electricians. The party are representatives of a New York firm and are destined to the Kolar gold fields, near Bangalore, the capital of the native state of Kyrore. The power necessary to operate this electric plant is to be furnished by the Cauvery river, which will be conducted across the country to the Kolar gold fields. The erection of this plant is expected to increase the production of the mines and to reduce the expense of working. It is a new feature in the gold mining of India.

FORMER CITIZEN HERE.

J. W. Stockbridge, of St. Louis, is in the city renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Stockbridge was a resident of Fort Wayne many years ago, and he was later a leading ticket broker at St. Louis, with offices in the Lindell hotel.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will meet at 2 o'clock, sharp, Wednesday afternoon, at which time the division will be inspected.

IN A BURNING MINE

Fifty Miners are Entombed in Wyoming and It is Certain All Have Perished.

BUT ONE MAN MADE HIS ESCAPE

Kemmerer, Wyo., Feb. 26.—Fifty foreigners, whose names are as yet unobtainable, undoubtedly have perished in a fire which was discovered last evening in the sixth level of the Diamondville coal mine No. 1. Only one man, John Anderson, was able to reach the main shaft and make his escape, so quickly did the fire spread through the level. The fire was discovered in the sixth level of the mine late last evening. No one knows how it started. The night shift of fifty men, all foreigners, had been at work several hours, and at the time, were unaware of their danger. They scattered along the workings some distance back from the main lead.

John Anderson was the nearest man to the opening of the level into the shaft. He gave the alarm, which was passed down the tunnel, and then, placing a heavy overcoat over his head, began a desperate battle with the smoke, fire and deadly fumes of gas, to reach the main lead, where escape might be possible.

By this time the outride men of the colliery had learned of the fire and several went down in the hope of rescuing the imprisoned miners.

At the opening of the level where the flames were at work they found Anderson, completely exhausted. He was carried to the open air and soon revived, although he was severely burned about the body. Anderson explained the situation in which his companions were placed and every effort was made to reach the imprisoned men.

Every plan known to mining experts and the officials of the company was quickly put into operation to check the progress of the fire, but without apparent effect. The level was then plugged at its opening about two miles from the mouth, in order to check the draught through the workings and thus kill the fire. Gangs of men went down the shaft ready to face the flames, which were eating their way through the level, but were invariably compelled to retreat.

There was no let up in the efforts to get into the level, but this despite the almost absolute certainty that none of the imprisoned men can be alive. There were a number of horses in the workings, and the oldest miners still hope that the men may have found a way to fight off the flames and that they would subsist on horse meat until rescuers can reach them.

Up to 11 a. m. no bodies had been recovered. Work at the other mines was suspended and all the miners joined the rescuing parties.

CLUB WOMEN ENTER POLITICS.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 26.—The Springfield Woman's club yesterday decided to take an active part in the Springfield municipal campaign. The women have decided that the only way to secure a clean administration of the affairs of the city is for them to exercise their influence over the male members of their families. After both political parties have made their nominations the women will prepare the ticket they intend to support. It will likely be composed of nominees from all parties. The women deny that they intend to work along the lines of the Carrie Nation crusaders, but declare they are determined that Springfield shall be governed according to the state and city laws during the coming two years.

GETS VAST SAMOAN GRANT.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 25.—Nicolas J. Weaver, who has figured in questionable financial transactions in half a dozen cities and who has a record as a poker sharper, being a partner of the notorious gamester "Billy" Hurt, arrived here Sunday from Samoa. He has secured a concession of 15,000 acres in German Samoa and with the help of English capital he expects to do a world-beating business in the production of chocolate. He made his land deal with native chiefs before Germany secured complete control, and as a result is likely to have trouble with the kaiser's officials. Weaver was accused some ten years ago of swindling Chicago men out of $15,000, but he escaped prosecution.

WHIPPING POST IN MISSOURI.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 26.—A bill establishing the whipping post as a means of punishment for misdemeanor was introduced yesterday by Representative Haines, of Saline county. It provides that, at the discretion of the court, the culprit may be given the usual fine or imprisonment or from ten to thirty-nine lashes on the bare back with a rawhide.

THREW BABES INTO RIVER

DEED OF DEMENTED WOMAN AT PITTSBURG.

Mrs. Maggie DeHorne Tosses Little Ones From Bridge—One Rescued, Other Drowned.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Maggie DeHorne, aged 26 years, walked out on the Twenty-second street bridge about 8:30 o'clock this morning with her two children, aged 3 and 4 years, and when in the center of the structure quickly picked up the little ones and threw them into the Monongahela river.

Before she could follow she was arrested. Boats put out at once and rescued one of the children, but the other was drowned.

The woman was evidently demented. She told the police that the act was an inspiration from heaven. She has been under religious excitement for several weeks and has been almost constantly praying. The boy, who was rescued, was taken to the Southside hospital.

It is thought he will die from exposure. The body of the girl was recovered.

RAT RAN UP HER CLOTHING.

Indianapolis, Feb. 26.—A young woman, jumping madly from a buggy and shrieking as if possessed of a thousand demons, attracted the attention of the employes at the Panhandle shops east of the city yesterday afternoon and several of them dropped their tools and hastened to her assistance. In the meantime, a young man had reached her side, and between her cries and contortions, she managed to make him understand that a rat had run up her clothing and had taken refuge on her back between her dress and her shoulders. She was appealing to him all this time to kill it, but she moved about so rapidly that he could not get near her. He finally succeeded in grabbing the intruder and gradually tightened his hold upon the rodent till it ceased to struggle. She then pleaded with him to unbutton her dress and take it out, and he succeeded in performing the delicate operation after several jerks at the hooks and eyes, with which he was wholly unfamiliar. By this time the employes had reached the scene and when the situation was explained to them they gave three hearty cheers for the rescuer. The woman proved to be Miss Virginia Wellman, and she presumed the rat was in the buggy when she got in at her father's farmhouse two miles away.

THE CAUSE OF TROUBLE.

Cape Haytien, Hayti, Feb. 26.—The recent conflict between Haytians and Dominicans at Philotett, on the northern frontier of this republic, was caused by the occupation by Haytian troops of some territory in dispute. The Dominican government is disposed to re-establish good relations with Hayti if the government of the republic will recall its troops.

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GIVE GOVERNMENT

PHILIPPINE COMMISSION IN BULACAN PROVINCE.

GUIGUINTO IS ORGANIZED

COUNTRY LATELY WRESTED FROM INSURGENTS.

COMMISSION IS WELCOMED

PRESIDENTE HOPES PEACE IS AT HAND.

Guiguinto, Bulacan Province, P. I., Feb. 26.—11:30 a. m.—The United States Philippine commission has arrived here from Manila and has organized a provincial government for this province, which until recently was controlled by the insurgents.

The insurgent colonel, Morels, is still operating with his band of 200 men in a portion of the province. Nevertheless, sentiments of peace and satisfaction with American sovereignty appear to be as prevalent here as in the provinces in which governments have previously been organized.

The party arrived here in army wagons and native carts, and were driven to the military headquarters. As many natives as could be crowded into the hall were present.

The president of the town welcomed the commissioners, declaring that the people of the province, which had been watered with the blood of Americans and Filipinos, earnestly hoped for the obliteration of the marks of war and for the establishment of a peaceful government, guaranteeing personal liberty.

Judge Taft responded. He said he rejoiced at the fact that the people of the province of Bulacan no longer misunderstood the objects of the American government, which, solely, were to secure for the people the blessings of civil liberty and to develop their self-governing capacity.

During the afternoon there will be a big meeting in the chapel and the bill applying the provincial act to Bulacan will probably be discussed.

The female relatives of the commissioners are accompanying them on this trip.

EPIDEMIC OF RHINDERPEST.

Manila, Feb. 26.—An epidemic of rhinderpest exists in the Visayan island.

The disease first appeared on Burias island and spread thence to Ticlo and Masbate, and it is now appearing on the island of Panay.

Twenty-five thousand cariboo have already died on Masbate island. The natives are dependent upon the cariboo for agricultural operations, and the disease has minimized the rice planting and restricted the sugar crop and much suffering is likely to ensue. Rigid quarantine measures have been adopted.

A new party, called conservative, is being organized. Colonel Blanco, a Macabebee chief, is the leader of the movement. The church element is identified with the conservative party.

THE NEWARK SINKS.

Manila, Feb. 26.—The steamer Newark, of the quartermaster's department, has been wrecked on Catadanauns island.

WAS ONLY A TUG.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The steamer Newark, of the quartermaster's department, reported wrecked on Catadanauns island, undoubtedly is a small tug recently purchased at a cost of about $5,000, used for the transportation of supplies in the Philippines. This is the only vessel of that name in the quartermaster's department.

DOWN AT BLUFFTON.

Banner: "The creditors of John A. Sawyer, who recently disappeared from his home west of town, held a meeting at the Sawyer home today to determine upon some course of action to be taken. Sawyer is said to have had many debts and to have left on that account. He has not been heard from in Fort Wayne."

News: "Tanton Swaim, brother of Mesdames P. A. Allen and R. W. Stine, was operated on Saturday afternoon at St. Joe hospital, Fort Wayne, for appendicitis. A couple of weeks ago he was taken with a severe pain in the side, which at first was thought to be pleurisy. It, however, developed into a severe case of appendicitis. The operation was successful and he is doing all right. A few years ago he lived in Bluffton, working in the boot and shoe factory. He resides on a farm north of Fort Wayne.—Mrs. I. F. Boltz has been called to Andover, Mass., by the illness of her niece, Mrs. Blanche Carleton, who is at the point of death. She leaves tomorrow morning for an indefinite stay.—A dozen boys who are anxious to enlist in the United States army are still patiently awaiting the appearance of Lieutenant Yule. He failed to arrive from Fort Wayne today and no word has been received from him. The boys have begun to fear that he will not keep his appointment for this place.

Speaking of the plans of the Southwestern railway and its proposed extensions, the Bluffton Banner says: "It was originally planned and Bluffton people were given the understanding that as soon as the line was completed to Warren a line would be run to Bluffton from Warren or that a line would be built to Portland and Bluffton connected with the Huntington-Portland line at Balbec or Camden. From what Mr. Reed says it looks very much as though their line is to be pushed in just the opposite direction after reaching Warren and Bluffton left out in the cold."

AUTHORESS SEEKS DIVORCE.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Gray Latham, magazine writer and artist, has filed suit for divorce at Forsythe, Taney county, Mo., against her husband, a New York stock broker. Mrs. Latham, who is a handsome woman and twenty-eight years old, went to Taney county, in the wilds of the Ozarks, several years ago with her brother. Shortly after she visited New York, where she met and married Latham. She returned later to Taney county, but her husband refused to go. Now she seeks separation on the ground of abandonment and non-support. It is said that her income from her pen and brush approach $10,000 a year.

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W. A. Pierson, of Wabash, is a Fort Wayne visitor.

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HUNTINGTON LOTH TO LOSE REV. FATHER QUINLAN.

Affecting Scene as Pastor Made the Announcement—Tributes to His Worth and Personality.

The appointment of Rev. John E. Quinlan as pastor of the Cathedral in this city is deeply regretted by the people of Huntington, who are extremely loth to part with the popular pastor. In this connection the Hunting Herald says:

"On last Thursday morning Father Quinlan received a message from the bishop to meet him at the Wabash depot, as he was going west to Lafayette. While on the train he was told of the contemplated change, and at once he protested, stating that he was so endeared to the people of this city he did not wish to leave. He did not receive a favorable answer from the bishop and on Friday sent a letter to Fort Wayne making further request that he be left here. On Saturday evening he received a telegram from Fort Wayne which read about as follows: 'Sunday, March 3rd, will be your last day in Huntington. Announce to your congregation if you wish.'

"As soon as the congregation learned of the change a committee was at once selected to go to Fort Wayne and see if Father Quinlan could not be allowed to remain here. The committee was as follows: Bryan O'Connor, Michael O'Laughlin, Patrick Golman and Richard Murphy. Timothy Collins was on the committee, but he could not go on account of sickness. The committee met the bishop in consultation but they could not accomplish their purpose and came home sad-hearted.

"Sunday morning, at both early and 10 o'clock mass, Father Quinlan made an attempt to read the telegram he had received, but he could not, and with tears in his eyes he announced he would read it next Sunday. The congregation had already heard of the change and many could be seen weeping as the good man addressed them.

"The notice of the transfer of Father Quinlan is startling to the congregation of St. Mary's church, as well as to the public in general. For three years and five months he has been a faithful shepherd to St. Mary's flock. He is kind and affectionate, not only to his congregation, but also to citizens outside of his church. During his stay here he has made a friend of all whom he has met, and the members of St. Mary's church have the sympathy of the entire public. His place will be very hard to fill."

Editorially the Herald says:

"The transfer of Father Quinlan from the pastorate of St. Mary's church in this city to the pastorate of the Cathedral at Fort Wayne is a promotion well deserved. It is a wider field with greater opportunities for his splendid pulpit and executive ability. He leaves Huntington with regret, and the people of the city part with him with reluctance, but the wisdom of the bishop will be unquestioned. During his residence in Huntington he has won the good will and friendship of all classes, and his transfer is a source of sorrow not alone to his congregation but to hosts of Protestant friends."

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BAN ON DIVORCED PERSONS.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Feb. 26. The Ministerial union has adopted a resolution as follows:

"We, the members of the Ministerial union of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, moved by our sacred convictions to preserve, so far as in us lies, the indissolubleness of the marriage relations, do hereby engage that we will not officiate at the marriage of a divorced person except in the case when we solemnly believe such person to be the innocent victim of a marriage which has been really dissolved on scriptural grounds; and also except that we may remarry those who have been divorced from each other, and who come to us to be reunited that they may live together again."

TO START SCHOOL OF PRAYER.

Lebanon, Ill., Feb. 26.—Rev. H. L. Derr, a Lebanon minister, has originated and is to establish a school of prayer. Until recently he was pastor of the local Baptist church. He resigned his pastorate to devote his time to his new educational project. His school is to be a department of Ewing college, a Baptist institution at Ewing, Franklin county. He proposes to give a two years' course in the nature, purposes and effectiveness of prayer, treating it from a historical and scientific point. An endowment of $10,000 for the establishment and support of the school is required, which Rev. Mr. Derr is now working to secure.

FRANCHISES CONSIDERED.

The board of works held an unimportant meeting yesterday afternoon. Mr. Miller, of the Southwestern Railway company, was present to push the franchise asked for by his company in the northwestern part of the city. The board told him they would investigate the condition of the Van Buren street bridge and other matters connected with the granting of the franchise and take the matter up as soon as advisable. The rumored change in the ownership of the Fort Wayne Traction company's lines and the probability of that concern seeking for the privilege of building extensions is also taken into consideration. If the Southwestern should build a line now without satisfactory transfer arrangements with the Traction company it would not be of much benefit as it would require two fares to reach any point east of Calhoun street and south of Main, while if a new company is organized to operate the city lines and it makes the required extensions to accommodate the necessities of city travel, a line covering the same territory would probably be built which would provide for universal transfers. While the board does not propose to withhold action to await pure possibilities, it nevertheless feels that there is no urgent emergency to be met right at this moment.

RUSH THE ENLISTING.

Lieutenant Yule has received instruction to hurry forward the work of enlisting recruits for the army as rapidly as possible, and will continue the plan of visiting the smaller towns around Fort Wayne in search of men. Sylvester Dillon, who enlisted several days ago, left for Indianapolis this morning.

THE DEATHS AND FUNERALS

BRAEUER.

Mrs. Katherine Braeuer, widow of Conrad Braeuer, died this morning at her home, 92 Hanna avenue, at the advanced age of seventy-eight years. Mrs. Braeuer was a native of Germany and has resided in this city many years.

The funeral announcement will be made later.

KAADE.

Theodore Kaade, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. William Kaade, of 75 Swinney avenue, died at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon from pneumonia at the age of 3 years.

The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon.

SPITLER.

Mrs. John Spitler, of Cedar Creek township, died at 1 o'clock Monday morning from cancer.

The funeral services were held today at the Cedarville M. E. church, Rev. Phillips officiating. Interment at Leo.

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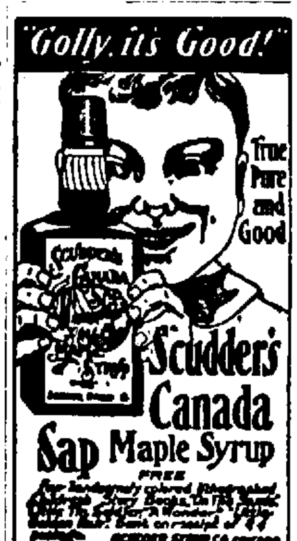

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LOCAL LINES.

Mrs. John Shoaff has returned from a visit in New York.

Miss Edith Liebig is entertaining relatives from Chicago.

Miss May Hess, of Maples, is visiting Miss Iva Middleton.

Mrs. Harry Stonecifer has returned from a visit in Connersville.

Ben Lehman has returned from a business visit in New York.

Mrs. Charles Greenick entertained the Amaranthus club last evening.

The Misses Eckart will entertain the Laetitia club Thursday evening.

Miss Millie Meyer, of Louisville, is the guest of Miss Nettie Epstein.

Joseph J. Romary has returned from a business trip to Indianapolis.

Mayor Z. T. Dungan, of Huntington, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Margaret Schmoll, of Hanna street, left yesterday for an eastern visit.

Miss Florence Jones has returned from a visit with friends in Van Wert, O.

Mrs. H. Brook Sale has returned home to Indianapolis after a visit in the city.

Mrs. Belle Raeder will entertain a few friends this evening in honor of visiting guests.

Miss Sadie Hirsh and guests formed a theatre party to "The Princess Chic" last evening.

Mrs. Dan Meyers has returned to her home in Columbia City after a visit with her sons.

Miss Oral Adams, of Portland, has returned home after a visit with Miss Jessie McLachlan.

The children of the Jewish church are rehearsing for an entertainment to be given on March 4.

Mrs. Seldon Morey has returned home to Toledo after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Marian Brenton.

Miss Mary Wallingford, of Evanston, Ill., who has been visiting Miss Carnahan, has returned home.

Miss Blanche Bonnique, of Buffalo, who has been visiting Miss Bertha Cour, has gone to Detroit to visit.

The nurses and attendants of Hope hospital, with a few friends, enjoyed a dance in Schott's hall last evening.

Mrs. Hovey Hanna and daughter, of Auburn, who have been visiting Mrs. S. B. Hanna, have returned home.

Mrs. Hanna M. Fruntz has purchased the old Randall farm of fifty-eight acres, north of the city, for $7,000.

Ex-Sheriff A. E. Melching entertained a party of about a dozen friends at his home on the Lima road Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Mitchell, of Lima, O., have returned home after a visit with their daughter, Mrs. S. K. Blair.

The Drs. McBeth are removing to their new home at 84 East Wayne street and will be comfortable settled in a few days.

Mrs. J. F. Wing entertained the South Side Aid society yesterday. Mrs. Mason Long and Miss Kate Eckert won prizes.

Mrs. Charles Finn will entertain the Athena Thimble club Thursday afternoon. In the evening the gentlemen are invited.

The history classes of the Jefferson street school listened to an interesting lecture on "Abraham Lincoln" by Rabbi Cohn yesterday.

Mrs. O. N. Guldlin accompanied Miss Mary Moffat, Miss Shoaff and Miss Seavey on their trip abroad, joining them in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hirsh give an "at home" Sunday in honor of the betrothal of their daughter, Miss Sadie Hirsh, and Lester H. Beckard, of Boston.

The East Side Aid society will meet with Mrs. Conrad Kettler Wednesday evening. Mrs. George Humphrey will assist. The gentlemen are invited.

Ben Hur Court held another of its interesting meetings last evening, initiating twenty-seven candidates and receiving twelve applications. Forty-six have been initiated since January 1, and a class of thirty-one will be received on Monday evening, March 4. This will bring the total membership up to 386.

Miss Stella Brown, late of Parsons, Kas., who is stopping with her aunt, Mrs. E. B. Ball, of 46 Gay street, was surprised last evening by a number of her young friends, who called to remind her of her birthday and to aid in celebrating the anniversary. The guests presented Miss Brown with several tokens of their esteem, included being a handsome ring. Mrs. Hall served refreshments at 10 o'clock.

The monthly missionary meeting of the Ladies' Missionary society of Wayne Street M. E. church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lem R. Hartman. About one hundred ladies, representing the various evangelical churches, were in attendance and listened to an interesting address by Miss Linam, a returned missionary from China. Mrs. E. R. Gesaman presided at the meeting. After the lecture refreshments were served, Mrs. Hartman being assisted in the dining room by Mrs. R. V. Sweringen, Mrs. S. B. Hartman and Mrs. H. G. Winch. Miss Winnie Hartman and Miss Davis assisted in serving.

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WRECKED RIO LOCATED.

San Francisco, Feb. 26.—It is stated today that the position of the wrecked Rio de Janeiro has been located by sounding in thirteen fathoms of water, a depth at which divers can work. It is said to be exactly one-quarter of a mile southwest of Fort Point buoy, probably within a stone's throw of the walls of Fort Scott. It is not impossible that the imprisoned bodies may be recovered.

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IN POLICE CIRCLES.

Police court came pretty near being a blank this morning. The evil doers had evidently heard of the judicial exploits of Superintendent Gorsline in the prosecutor's field and steered clear of all semblance of iniquity. Only Fred Eix, who unfortunately is not a Sentinel subscriber, had not heard of it and he was caught in the meshes for being drunk. He put up a strong plea and cited the fact that he had not been in trouble for a long time, and if given a chance he would stay out a long time again. The talk went with the mayor, who fined him $2 and suspended sentence.

The light in a down town saloon was found out last night and an investigation was made. It was found that it had simply flickered out, the result of being turned too low.

The door of a down town business house was found open last night and reported. The number of doors found open during a year is something almost increditable. One certain business man makes a practice of leaving his store door open not less than 100 nights in the 365 of a year. Some night the gay and festive burglar will make a haul, and then this same man will raise Cain over the incompetency of the police department.

Superintendent Gorsline this morning received the description of the second watch found in Tom Borham's possession. It proves to be the identical watch taken by him from the Racine lady, mention of whom has heretofore been made.

MAKE THE CHANGE

Before Coffee Wrecks You.

"The right man came along one day when he told me that coffee drinking was the cause of my gastritis, nervousness, torpid liver and trembling hands, that interfered with my business, that of mechanical drawing, but coffee was my only habit and I loved it so that I did not see how I could give it up.

"If he had not been so enthusiastic regarding the relief in his case by laving off coffee and taking Postum Food Coffee I could not have mustered up will power enough to abandon my favorite beverage.

"I left off coffee that day at lunch and had a cup of Postum. It was made good and had a rich, dark color, with a delicious flavor that I could not tell from regular coffee. It plased the eye, smell and palate, so I had it each day at the restaurant for the noonday lunch, and discovered a decided improvement in my condition, but it was not until I left off coffee for breakfast and used Postum in its place that real relief set in. Now I am free from gastritis, headaches, and fully appreciate the value of the 'nerve ease.' No more trembling hands and no more nervous prostration. I am well and feel that I should say to others who are being poisoned by a beverage that they do not suspect, 'coffee,' 'Make the change before the poison works destruction in you.'"

This letter is from a New York mechanical draughtsman. Name can be furnished by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., at Battle Creek, Mich.

FIRE AND A RUNAWAY.

A loss of $150 was caused by fire Monday evening at the residence owned by E. J. Smith, at 105 Superior street, and occupied by the families of Fred Harmeyer and Mrs. Summers. The fire was caused by a defective flue. While the firemen were at work a hose burst, frightening the horses attached to the hose wagon of engine company No. 6 and the animals darted away. The team was stopped on Harrison street after it had struck a horse and buggy owned by John Noble, hitched in front of the Spuhler meat market. The buggy was demolished and the horse slightly injured.

WILL GIVE A SMOKER.

Three hundred invitations have been issued by the Jeffersonian club for a smoker to be given at the club rooms on East Berry street Wednesday evening, March 8. The committee on invitations is made up of Judge J. H. Aiken, William Hammond and D. C. Stout.

The Boys' Brotherhood club will meet tomorrow evening in Vordermark hall, at 32 Calhoun street. The meeting will be of special importance, as a reorganization is to be effected. Following the business session there will be a musical and refreshments.

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WANTED—Boy 14 or 15 years of age to strip tobacco. Apply 47 E. Main street. 26-tf

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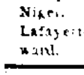

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Mrs. Spiegel, the Broadway milliner, has gone to Chicago to make spring purchases.

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FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow at 31 Wefel street. 25-2t

FOR SALE—Improved 80-acre farm on easy payments. Address Lock Box 124. 26-6t

FOR SALE—160 acres, 7 miles from Fort Wayne. Address Fred Belland, Rural Route No. 6, city. 1-15 2m d w

FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18tf

FOR SALE—New, modern residence on West Washington boulevard, only $4,500. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Large modern house, 46 Huestis ave.; will be sold at highest offer obtainable in next 10 days. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Fine large buffalo robe, lined; one fur overcoat suitable for motorman or coachman. Enquire at 39 Douglas Ave. eod2-9-1m

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FOR SALE—Two full lots, with partial modern improvements, on Douglas ave.; prices cut to $3,500 and $3,700. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

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FOR SALE—Or exchange—70 acre farm for city property or vacant lots; would pay difference if any. For particulars call or address, R. W. Cecil, No. 10 North St. 23-1m

FOR SALE—Cheap—6 room cottage, 105 Taylor St., with full lot, one square from Broadway. For particulars call at 36 Baker St. We will sell to suit purchaser. 18-tf

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—40 acres in Kalkaska county, Mich.; 160 acres in Nebraska state; 600 acres in Whitley Co., Ind.; 180 acres 9 miles west of city; 63 acres 11 miles east of city; 68 acre tract 8 miles east of city; 10 acres 6 miles west of city; 40 acres 9 miles north of city; also 15 resident properties in city at bargains. E. C. Niswonger & Co., 18 Harrison St., city. 6-26-d-a-w-tf

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

TUESDAY, FEB. 26, 1901.

TONIGHT.

Machinists—Regular meeting of No. 70 at 138 Calhoun street, third floor.

Plasterers—Regular meeting of No. 70 at Pearl and Harrison streets, second floor.

Steam Engineers—Regular meeting of No. 70 at Main and Clinton streets, third floor.

Women's Union Label League—Regular meeting of No. 17 at 27 Last Berry street, third floor.

Master Builders—Regular meeting.

City Council—Regular meeting in city hall.

Allen County Medical Society—Regular meeting in assembly room of the court house.

Lodges—Grand Fraternity; Order of the Red Cross; Fort Wayne, No. 116, K. of P.; Fort Wayne, No. 1, Daughters of Workmen; Edwards Camp, No. 3127, Modern Woodmen; Wayne Castle, No. 2, Knights of the Golden Eagle; Degree of Honor, No. 2; Home, No. 342, F. & A. M.; Allen, No. 29, Degree of Honor; Daniel O'Connell Council, No. 263, C. B. L.; Deborah, No. 110, D. of R.; Darius Council, Princes of Jerusalem.

Masonic Temple—"A Ride for Life."

Sunday School Convention—In Berry Street M. E. church.

According to Admiral Sampson the "man behind the gun" ought to stay there.

After Cuba has been in the independent government business awhile Uncle Sam may find it safe to cut the string.

Perhaps the threat to remove the tariff from manufactured steel products accounts for the $3,000 capitalization of the steel trust. The promoters will probably claim protection for an infant industry.

The rumor is again revived that John Hay is to quit the cabinet. It is an interesting rumor and a persistent rumor and a rumor with which nothing is the matter. Only John Hay does not quit the cabinet and probably will not quit the cabinet. He is not only essential to our diplomacy, but as a matter of fact is our diplomacy.

"Charlie" Schwab, the youthful multi-millionaire who is president of the Carnegie Steel company and is to be president of the billion-dollar steel trust just organized, writes his father that he now has more money than he knows what to do with and will shortly retire from active business pursuits. That is wise, and if "Charlie" continues to find himself perplexed for methods to unload his plethora of cash he will find a few thousands of his American fellow-citizens ready to sacrifice themselves in assuming responsibility for dispersion of the burdensome wealth.

Some of the Cuban fire-eaters appear to hold the opinion that the United States is wanting in proper spirit of gratitude for the privilege the revolutionists afforded this government in allowing American soldiers to fight and die for Cuban freedom. That Uncle Sam had the money to pay the bill of $300,000,000 is a mere incident of luck, and that he did pay it is of no account whatever. This again illustrates that it is impossible to please everybody.

This country is growing mightily, but not fast enough to keep pace with the increased expenditures of congress. A few years ago the cry of a "billion-dollar congress" was answered with "this is a billion-dollar country." The appropriations made by the congress now expiring will aggregate a billion and a half, almost as much as was spent by the previous congress during the period of the Spanish war. This does not include any provision for the Nicaragua canal, which the next congress must now deal with, nor the shipping subsidy grab, which happily seems to be about ready for the last sad rites. The next congress will in all probability exceed the expenditures of the present congress. This certainly will prove the case if the canal bill is favorably acted upon. The expenses created by this congress will continue in many directions. The largely increased appropriation for the army made at this session to provide for our augmented military establishment will have to be repeated. The war expenditures in the Philippines will be continued and to this must be added the inevitable growth of expenditures for pensions, a result of the war in the Philippines and of the war with Spain. The two-billion-dollar congress is, therefore, likely to arrive somewhat in advance of the two-billion-dollar country.

Admiral Sampson's popularity was not in such state that he could afford to give official signature to the letter in which he protested to the navy department against the promotion of Gunner Morgan to be an ensign in the navy on the ground of "social inequality." Gunner Morgan is a brave man, a sturdy fighter and has, according to Admiral Sampson's own letter, "good professional ability." He served as gunner on Admiral Sampson's flagship, the New York, during the Spanish war. Admiral Sampson sums up his objections to Gunner Morgan's promotion in the following words: "It is submitted that in time of peace the navy's function consists, to a certain extent, of representing the country abroad, and it is important that the navy's representatives should be of, at least, refinement." That is to say that no man who has not been graduated from the Annapolis academy neither has nor can acquire the "refinement" prescribed by the polite ethics of the navy. If that is true then the naval academy is a school of snobbery. For more than a century it has been the boast of the American people that here there is no caste, no nobility; that ability and not birth or wealth or social position is the criterion of distinction; that the poorest, the lowliest, the most obscure, may, if he have talents and honor aspire to the loftiest eminence. Four years in Annapolis cannot make a gentleman of any man who cannot otherwise make as fine a gentleman of himself if he will. Admiral Sampson makes a plea for the nurturing and perpetuating of an aristocracy which few have thought existed and still fewer will have the patience to look upon and endure. The idea that a gentleman in the navy is in any sort superior to the gentleman in the army or an American gentleman in any calling is wholly repugnant. No more glowing page illuminates the history of any country than the annals of the American navy. The world knows no finer heroism than the high daring of our sea fighters who from John Paul Jones to Lawrence and Perry, from Lawrence and Perry to Farragut and Coffman, and from them to Dewey and Schley and Hobson have shed such glorious renown on the sea prowess of this nation. Annapolis did not make these and hundreds of their like. They had the hearts of heroes and the souls of gentlemen and that they honored their country and glorified its flag under which they fought was, if Annapolis has made a Sampson, in spite of Annapolis and not because of it.

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The regular meeting of the Allen County Medical Society will be held this evening in the assembly room of the court house. A paper on "Examination of the Spinal Cord" will be read by Dr. J. B. McEvoy, and Dr. Luella McKinley will also read a paper.

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GENERAL NEWS OF THE STATE OF INDIANA.

Muncie, Ind., Feb. 26.—J. Pierpont Morgan, the New York railway magnate, was in the city Sunday and yesterday investigating the facilities of this end of the lines of the Union Traction company, in which Mr. Morgan is interested. While careful not to commit himself, he intimated that the lines of the Union Traction company would in all probability be united with other lines in the near future and that the lines of the company would be greatly extended. He would neither confirm nor deny the report that Mr. Morgan was to back the promoters of the Muncie-New Castle line.

He stated, however, that electric railways in Indiana represented a good investment and that there would soon be a multiplication of the present number of lines. He predicts that this state will become one of the foremost electric systems in the world, and added: "It most assuredly has some of the best equipped roads at present."

Mr. Morgan is given the credit of introducing the express system also, which is to be provided for the Union Traction company lines. Today Mr. Morgan's representative left in his private car for Marion, where he will spend a day. He will return east after investigating the expediency of extending the Indiana lines. It is the belief that the Muncie-Hartford City line will be pushed to completion, making a connection with the western lines, and, with the proposed lines east from the western part of the state, form a complete circuit of electric lines, taking in all the important territory of the gas belt.

A HOOSIER FOX HUNT.

Wabash, Ind., Feb. 26.—In the big fox chase, which included within the lines the larger part of Lagro and Chester townships, in this county, and Huntington and Dallas townships, Huntington county, yesterday, 1,000 persons took part. Ten foxes were beaten up and for an hour ran around the circle, finally breaking through on the west line. The discovery of so many foxes, however, has induced the farmers to arrange another chase for next Saturday, with Adam Schenkel as commander-in-chief. The same officers will have charge of the chase and everybody over twenty-one is permitted to bring a shotgun. The closing-in place is six miles square and the lines start at 9 o'clock and meet at 1 p. m.

WRAPPED IN BED CLOTHES.

Muncie, Ind., Feb. 26.—Edward Heiniger, of Lima, Ohio, and Miss Olive Seible, of Anderson, were married here by Squire Moreland, after an exciting attempt by the girl's parents to head off the eloping couple. The girl is eighteen and her husband twenty-two. They went to Marion, from Anderson, Saturday night, where they procured a license. The young couple found that relatives were on the train, so they "track-tracked" to Anderson, over the interurban line, and then came to Muncie. Sunday night they called at Squire Moreland's home, and found the justice ill in bed of the grip. They insisted on being married, however, so the accommodating officer pulled the bed clothes around his shoulders, sat upright in bed and made them one.

CHICAGO LAWYER IS SOUGHT.

LaPorte, Ind., Feb. 26.—There is no longer any doubt as to the criminal prosecution of Joseph W. Brill, of Cleveland, on the charge of attempted murder. Ellsworth E. Weir, who is mentioned as the intended victim, appeared before the grand jury yesterday afternoon and gave evidence which dispelled the last hope of the defense that the case would be dropped by reason of the failure of Weir to appear to give incriminating testimony. Weir was followed by Dr. George M. Dakin, in whose office the shot was fired. The evidence of these two witnesses will form the basis of the indictment.

Mr. Brill stated last night that W. S. Forrest, of Chicago, would be the leading counsel for the defense. Forrest leaped into international reputation by his defense of the men who were convicted of the murder of Dr. Cronin.

NATURAL GAS CAPERS.

Hartford City, Ind., Feb. 26.—An explosion of natural gas occurred yesterday morning in the cellar of S. B. Cole's home. The force of the explosion tore doors from the hinges, wrecked the furniture, twisted the outer walls, threw down partitions and scattered glass and plastering in all directions. The five persons in the house at the time escaped without injury. Mr. Cole was blown out a window and landed in a snow bank, but he was not hurt. The house is a wreck.

MICE AND A CHOIR.

Kokomo, Ind., Feb. 26.—The choir at the Grace M. E. church was thrown into a panic Sunday afternoon by the appearance of two mice, which had evidently been attracted by the music. One of the mice ran up the trouser leg of Adam Rusher, leader of the choir. He held the mouse back with one hand and continued to hold the hymn book in the other. There was much confusion among the young women. One of them was brave enough to capture the second mouse. During the excitement the women poked their handkerchiefs into their mouths to keep from screaming.

CHLOROFORMED AND ROBBED.

Marion, Ind., Feb. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. John Gossum, living on a farm in this county, were chloroformed while asleep and burglars ransacked the house. Gossum and his wife did not recover from the effects of the drug until yesterday afternoon. The thieves took $100 in cash and, it is said, robbed another family in the same neighborhood of $100 by similar methods the same night.

A SUIT ENDS IN MARRIAGE.

Laporte, Ind., Feb. 26.—James D. Brown, who, a week ago, said he would sue his prospective mother-in-law, of Racine, Wis., for breaking his engagement with Miss Florence Slawson, has changed his mind. He and Miss Slawson were married at Englewood, near Chicago, Saturday.

INDIANA'S WILD MAN.

Liberty, Ind., Feb. 26.—In carrying the daily mail, with horse and buggy, between this town and Richmond, George Brumley, sr., travels over a roundabout, rough road and through what is known as "the big woods." Mail Carrier Brumley says that Saturday night he was stopped on his route by a hideous spectacle swinging a big club and indicating by signs and sounds that Brumley was to get out of the buggy.

Mr. Brumley fired a revolver and the strange creature ran into the woods, laughing and screaming. Mr. Brumley says that his assailant was a man, over six feet tall, covered with hair, and having big bulging eyes. He was dressed in animal skins and a tattered army overcoat.

It is alleged that a number of people in eastern Indiana have seen, during the last five years, the wild man described by Mr. Brumley, and that the man has successfully eluded all efforts to capture him.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 26.—Bellrami county, in the lumber country in the northern part of Minnesota, is bankrupt and unless the legislature passes a bill for its relief a condition will prevail bordering on anarchy. The county judge and the jurors drawn for the present term have gone out on strike because there is no money with which to pay them; nearly all of the county offices have been closed by the occupants, while the sheriff, who has been caring for prisoners at his own expense, threatens to turn them loose and close the jail in order that he may get out and earn money for the support of himself and family.

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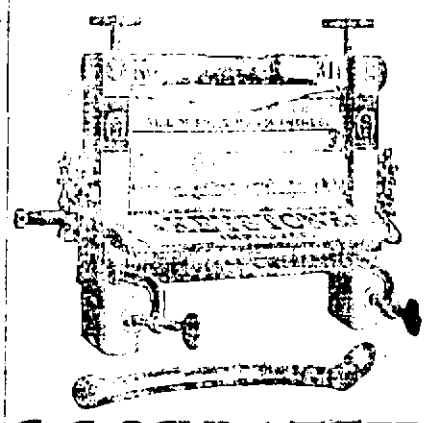

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GIMP TRIMMINGS In White, at 10c, 12½c, 15c, 25c, 39c, [illegible] yard.

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DETAILS OF DEAL

TERMS ON WHICH BIG STEEL TRUST BUYS INTERESTS

PER CENT. BASIS OF STOCKS

RATED VALUATION OF THE STOCKS ABSORBED.

THE AGGREGATE ENORMOUS

NO FORMAL STATEMENT YET READY TO PUBLISH.

New York, Feb. 26.—At the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. it was stated today that they were not yet prepared to make any official statement or issue any circular giving the full details of the proposed United States Steel corporation. They recognize, however, that it is due to the public and the various stockholders that they should know as early as possible the basis upon which securities of the various companies will ultimately be received for conversion into the securities of the new corporation, which is as follows:

The following offers to be made for stocks of the several companies named:

Federal Steel preferred, 110 per cent of new preferred.

Federal Steel common, 4 per cent of new preferred and 107½ per cent of new common.

American Steel and Wire preferred, 117½ per cent in new preferred.

American Steel and Wire common, 102½ per cent of new common.

National Tube preferred, 125 per cent of new preferred.

National Tube common 8.8 per cent of new preferred and 125 per cent of new common.

National Steel preferred, 125 per cent of new preferred.

National Steel common, 125 per cent of new common.

American Tin Plate preferred, 125 per cent of new preferred.

American Tin Plate common, 20 per cent of new preferred and 125 per cent of new common.

American Steel Hoop preferred, 100 per cent of new preferred.

American Steel Hoop common, 100 per cent of new common.

American Sheet Steel preferred, 100 per cent of new preferred.

American Sheet Steel common, 100 per cent of new common.

As to the stocks of the last four companies the aggregate amount of stocks to be offered was arranged with the principal stockholders of these companies, who have requested the distribution of such amount among the four companies to be made in the manner as stated.

TERMS OF ALLOTMENTS.

According to the allotments stated, the old stock of the existing companies will exchange for the stocks of the new corporation as follows, par values being given in every case:

American Steel and Wire, $40,000,000 preferred for $47,000,000 of new preferred; $50,000,000 common for $51,250,000 of new common.

Federal Steel, $53,260,900 preferred for $58,586,900 of new preferred; $46,484,300 common for $4,-655,372 of new preferred, and $49,-970,022 of new common.

National Tube, $40,000,000 preferred for $50,000,000 of new preferred; $40,000,000 common for $3,-520,000 of new preferred and $50,-000,000 of new common.

National Steel, $27,000,000 preferred for $33,750,000 of new preferred; $32,000,000 common for $40,-000,000 of new common.

American Tin Plate, $18,325,000 preferred for $22,906,250 of new preferred; $28,000,000 common for $5,-600,000 new preferred and $35,000,-000 of new common.

American Hoop, $14,000,000 preferred for $14,000,000 new preferred; $19,000,000 common for $19,000,000 of new common.

American Sheet Steel, $22,500,000 preferred for $24,500,000 of new preferred; $24,500,000 common for $24,-500,000 of new common.

These allotments absorb a total of $261,722,612 of new preferred stock and a total of $269,720,022 of new common stock. The furnished statement is silent as to the total capitalization proposed for the new corporation and as to the terms of settlement with the holders of Carnegie company stocks and bonds.

GET THE CREAM.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 26.—The Pittsburg Dispatch says:

An underwriting syndicate of insiders, with $100,000,000 capital, will secure the "cream" of the big deal for the organization of the United States Steel corporation. This information comes from Pittsburgers interested in the negotiations.

J. Pierpont Morgan will receive $1,800,000 for perfecting the arrangement, and it is said positively that the Carnegie company will not receive the amounts the stockholders are credited with obtaining for their great property.

It is stated that it is the proposition of Mr. Morgan to permit the "insiders"—the directors of the various companies to be included, except the Carnegie company—to subscribe to the capital of the underwriting syndicate, which has been placed at $100,000,000.

This capitalization was based on the earnings of all of the plants to be taken into the combination and it is the intention of the underwriting syndicate, of which Mr. Morgan will be the head, to guarantee the operation of the plants for one year from the organization.

At the end of that time there will be a division made to the underwriting subscribers, who, it is estimated, will receive as their share about three to one in stock at par and whatever is left of the underwriting capital.

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AFTER THE CIGAR MEN

NON-UNION MADE CIGARS TO BE FOUGHT IN FORT WAYNE

Interesting Meeting of the Trades and Labor Council Last Night - The Labor Fair.

The Trades and Labor council held an interesting session last night, meeting for the first time in its new hall in the Elektron building. One of the most important matters taken up was the question of waging a war against non-union made cigars, which have a very strong foothold in Fort Wayne. It was stated that Fort Wayne manufacturers make the best grade of cigars made anywhere and employ none but union labor, nevertheless thousands of foreign made cigars are sold in this city daily, nearly all of which are the product of scab labor. It was suggested that a few weeks ago an election was held to decide on giving a subsidy to a corporation which might employ a hundred or so men. The cigarmakers want no subsidy but state that if non-union cigars are driven off the Fort Wayne market it will give employment to at least fifty and probably a hundred additional cigarmakers and support that many more families. A committee of fifteen to act with the union label committee was appointed to make a canvass of all the places selling non-union goods and present the matter, and if no success is met with other measures, which the council is desirous of avoiding, will be adopted. Cigar manufacturers on the other hand will be visited and asked to have the union printers' label on all their packages.

The fair committee reported progress and said that they had engaged the Saengerbund building for the fair, which would commence on the first Wednesday after Easter and continue ten days. There will be no canterts but a straight admission of 25 cents will be charged at the door, and there will be an entertainment each night which will be worth the money. In addition there will be some scheme arranged, not a lottery, by which one person each night will be given a valuable prize. Season tickets will be sold for $2.50 each and one of the purchasers of these tickets will be given a deed to two lots owned by the council, and situated on Wagner street.

Another effort will be made to unionize Perg & Stevenson's barber shop on Broadway, and an motion the Blue book was abandoned this year.

The Waist Factory Employes' union announced that they would hold an open meeting at their hall one week from Thursday evening, and all friends of union labor are invited to be present.

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THE WORK BEGINS

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION OPENS

AT BERRY STREET CHURCH

INTEREST AND ATTENDANCE ARE GOOD.

LISTEN TO FINE ADDRESSES

MRS. PRYNER OF CHICAGO A PROMINENT SPEAKER.

The annual convention of the Allen County Sunday School association is being held in the Berry street M. E. church, and today's attendance is largely increased over that of the opening session Monday evening. A. D. Craig, the energetic county superintendent, is in charge of the meeting, and Rev. D. Sawyer, of St. Paul's M. E. church, conducted the opening devotions today.

Following the roll call of townships, the convention this morning took up organized Sunday school work, and it was considered by the round table plan. A list of twenty-five questions, embracing about every department of Sunday school work, were propounded and discussed by the officers and delegates. The exercise was designed to bring out a wealth of ideas covering Sunday school organization and methods, and was a most profitable discussion.

PREPARING A LESSON.

The question of preparation of the Sunday school lesson was the theme next taken up. Mrs. A. K. Zartman presented a helpful paper upon the subject, and Miss Anne Philley followed with an informal talk. Mrs. Zartman, a successful primary teacher, believed that in teaching two things were essential—the preparation of the heart and the preparation of the mind. Love for Christ, intermingled with a passion for souls, combining in a desire to save the class is the true purpose of the teacher. Love is the only medium through which the child can be reached and the child will believe in Christ's love when it is exemplified in the life of the teacher. The preparation of the mind includes not alone a preparation upon the lesson, but a knowledge of each individual scholar and his needs so far as is practicable. The third point in preparation is that of prayer, earnest prayer for guidance, blessing, wisdom, that the teaching may be fruitful. The paths of childhood must be traveled again in memory to supply the illustrations that will impress the important truths upon the children. The mission of the teacher is not merely to entertain pupils, but to bring them face to face with God and His everlasting word.

Miss Philley, in opening, endorsed the points made by Mrs. Zartman and expressed a desire to emphasize a few of them. First, it is essential that the teacher must love the work, must love the Bible and must love souls. One mistake many make is that they are teaching simply because somebody asked them to do so, and not because they are really interested in the work. Miss Philley told of her personal method of preparation by prayer and study, and of the use of illustration in the presentation of the lesson facts.

TOWNSHIP REPORTS.

The call of the townships for reports of schools was then given, and a number were presented, though not nearly a full quota responded. Later in the session the reports will be called for again. Superintendent Craig says the reports will show that there are 146 Sunday schools in the county, with over 900 teachers and more than 12,000 scholars.

NAMED COMMITTEES.

Just previous to adjournment at noon the superintendent announced the appointment of the following committees:

On Nominations, S. S. Hall, D. S. Cornett, Miss Lizzie Covington.

On Resolutions, Rev. J. W. Lake, J. D. Gloyd, S. Doty.

Mrs. J. W. Boyden conducted the devotional service this afternoon and Rev. J. Webster Bailey, pastor of Plymouth Congregational church, followed with a helpful talk on "Christ the Model Teacher." Another round table, Sunday school management, brought out many valuable suggestions, and Mrs. Mary Foster Pryner, of Chicago, gave her first address, a demonstration of how the blackboard may be used in the Sunday school. Mrs. Nettie Hubler closed with a paper, "Pastoral Work of the Teacher."

IDEAL SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Supt. A. D. Craig called the opening session of the convention to order Monday evening. Miss Mills, secretary of the Y. W. C. A., read a scripture lesson and prayer was offered by Rev. A. K. Zartman. Preceding this there had been an opening song service led by H. A. Philley, with a choir of twenty voices, assisted by the orchestra.

Rev. W. D. Parr, D. D., pastor of Wayne street M. E. church, delivered the address of the evening, his theme being the "Ideal Sunday School." In part Dr. Parr said:

"I do not know whether there is an ideal Sunday School in the world. However that may be, there is an ideal for which all must strive, for which all men who have accomplished anything have striven, and on which lines all successful undertakings have been laid. There is a close connection between the ideal Sunday school and the ideal church. I would make the church the prettiest building in all the land. It should impress the little people and be cheerful on the outside as well as on the inside. There is no reason for Christians to give up all the beauties of the world.

"I think the ideal Sunday school should have a model superintendent, a man who can bring things to pass. The church of God is suffering for leadership. A Sunday school superintendent must be an executive man, who can not only do things himself, but can also get others to do things. He must be a studious man, who gives careful thought to the work, and studies out the solution of the problems that develop. The well appointed machinery which he will construct must run noiselessly, and with precision. He must understand music, and must have bright cheerful [illegible]. He must be an expansionist, getting up new classes from the surplus of the old ones, and looking after a teaching force.

"The ideal Sunday school will magnify the word of the Lord. It seems to me that the church is becoming too much like a club, or an entertaining society. It may be substituting something for the word of God and this is wrong. The ideal Sunday school should be a well governed Sunday school. It cannot be governed as a day school, but order is essential. The facilities for good government are many times lacking, but there are churches in which from twenty to forty Sunday school rooms are provided and these are an aid to the work.

"The most essential feature to an ideal Sunday school is the teaching force. If it has not these, the Sunday school is a failure. The superintendent may be only a moderately capable man, but if it has good teachers it cannot be a failure. The teachers must be gentle and sympathetic and have patience with the young and restless student. The ideal Sunday school will seek after scriptural conversions. There should be a time set apart for prayer and special conversation, for the Sunday school should pour streams of conversion into the church. It should be the institution that feeds and supplements the church, and have the missionary impulse."

In conclusion Dr. Parr spoke words of encouragement to the discouraged teacher who often does not know of the good that he has accomplished.

THIS EVENING.

This evening Mrs. Byner will take up the subject of "Primary Teaching," and Rev. J. C. Carman, the state superintendent, will deliver an address, "Childhood's Call to the Church."

The program for tomorrow's session is as follows:

Wednesday Morning:

9:30—Devotion, Rev. Schoemaker.

9:50—Reports from townships.

10:00—The Sunday School Teacher (round table.)

10:40—Temperance, J. E. Graham.

11:05—The Teacher's Opportunity and Seizing It, Mrs. D. W. Thomas, of Elkhart.

11:30—More Machinery or More Power, Which? Rev. J. H. Evans.

11:50 Adjournment.

Wednesday afternoon:

1:35—Devotion, Dr. Jas. English.

2:00—Home Class Department (round table.)

2:40 Next Sunday's Lesson, Mrs. Byner.

3:00 Normal Work, Rev. J. C. Carman.

3:30 Reports of committees, etc.

4:00 Adjournment.

Miss Katie Rauner, of Walnut street, entertained the F. G. and R. C. club last evening at progressive pedro. Flora Schwartz and Dock Ringle were awarded first prizes, while the consolations went to Miss Mae Eickhoff and Kenneth Rauner. A dainty luncheon was served at 12 o'clock.

Miss Maude Dunfee, of Jackson, Mich., is in the city visiting her grandmother, Mrs. E. Jewell, of 50 West Superior street.

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Mrs. M. P. Orech has recovered from an attack of the grip at Canaseraga, N. Y., by the use of Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

Among the victims of the grip epidemic now so prevalent, F. Coyle is now recovering at Canton, O., by the use of Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

W. E. Nihells, of St. Louis, Mo., who was down with grip, is reported much improved. He used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

The friends of Mrs. L. Den'son will be pleased to learn of her recovery from grip at her home in Bay City, Mich., through the use of Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

Everybody says that J. W. Udy is looking splendid since his recovery from the grip at his home in Des Moines, Iowa. They all know that Dr. Miles' Nervine was what cured him.

Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. DeWaele, who has passed the three-score mile stone, had a time with the grip, but when seen at his home in Roscommon, Mich., the other day, he said Dr. Miles' Nervine was what cured him.

At nearly three score and ten Mrs. Galen Humphrey was fighting against odds when the grip attacked he, but she took Dr. Miles' Nervine and now her neighbors in Wareham, Mass., remark on how well she is looking.

After an illness of five weeks from the grip, Mrs. Harriett Jackson is again about and looking fine. She began taking Dr. Miles Nervine after the fourth week. Her home is in Bowling Green, Mo.

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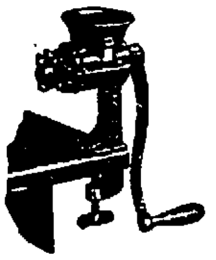

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WILL ADOPT AIR PRESSURE

WATER WORKS BOARD TO CONTRACT FOR PLANT.

Value of the System Established—The Man Who Proved There Is Plenty of Water.

The water works trustees last evening formally ratified the decision arrived at several days ago, to close a contract for the erection of a permanent air pressure pumping plant at the water works station. The success of the system has been so firmly established that no further doubt remains that there is an inexhaustible supply of pure water underlying the city and all that is necessary is to bring it to the surface within reach of the pumps. This the air-lift system does, satisfactorily and cheaply. The trustees will immediately place themselves in communication with first-class hydraulic engineers who will be requested to prepare plans and specifications. After a set of plans have been adopted bids for the construction of the plant will be advertised for and before the dry season again comes around Fort Wayne will have an abundance of water.

Now, while the water works trustees and the special council committee are to be commended for the prosecution of its aims to a successful termination due credit should not be withheld from the man who first presented the idea in practical form to the attention of the city authorities. That man is Louis A. Centlivre. Mr. Centlivre, ever since the discovery of a deep rock well near the Centlivre brewery, while drilling for gas, has contended that there is plenty of water under the city. He preached his theory until he got tired and then being so well satisfied of the correctness of his opinion he proceeded to demonstrate it. At his own expense he fitted up a deep well pump, erected an engine and attached his apparatus to an abandoned well. He started his machinery and produced a quarter of a million gallons from a well that was not supposed to yield nine quarts. This was kept up for days and weeks and the public was obliged to concede that Mr. Centlivre was right. It cost him many hundreds of dollars, thousands, perhaps, but he established the fact that there is a water supply within reach, and he did not ask a cent for his demonstration. It was found, however, that Mr. Centlivre's system was an expensive one and that it was not practicable in the shape it was tested. That was over two years ago. Meantime the trustees were busy and finally the air-lift system was tested with the result just cited. The means employed are different, but the principle involved is precisely the same, and the result is a most happy one.

Mr. Centlivre's expensive devotion to his faith was a fine exhibition of public spirit and he will never grudge to his financial sacrifices than the gratitude of the people if he gets that. It is the most he can expect and the least he ought to get.

MUSIC HOUSE BURNED.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 26.—Fire which originated early today in some unknown manner on the top floor of the four-story brick building at 221 to 223 Woodward avenue, occupied by Grinnell Bros.'s music house, caused over $100,000 damage. Grinnell Bros. carried a stock valued at $140,000, and this morning they estimated their loss as $100,000, principally from smoke and water, with $50,000 insurance. Toquemy Bros.' dry goods house, which adjoined Grinnell Bros.' establishment on the south, was damaged $10,000 by smoke and water. The Wesson estate, owners of the building occupied by Grinnell Bros., suffered a loss of $5,000, fully covered by insurance.

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FIRE IN A HOTEL.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 26. Fire in the Cordova hotel today, supposed to have been caused by crossed electric wires, was extinguished with a loss of less than $15,000. There was no panic among the guests.

NEVER HAD A COLD

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WILL DEMAND EXPLANATIONS

Oporto, Feb. 26.—It is understood the Brazilian government will demand explanations from Portugal for the attempt made to abduct the daughter of the Brazilian consul here and place her in a convent against the wishes of her father. A collision between the police and students last evening resulted in numbers on both sides being injured. The police invaded the institute in pursuit of the students and the professors protested to the government. A dispatch received here from Rio Janiro says that a mob at that place stoned the Portuguese representative on account of the incidents at Oporto.

HE CARRIED AN IRON BAR

WITH IT BRAINED WOMEN ON THE STREETS.

The Arrest of Denver's Mysterious Murderer—Has Assaulted a Score of Women.

Denver, Col., Feb. 26. Albert Cowan is under arrest on suspicion of being the mysterious prowler who struck down three women with an iron bar last Friday night and who has murderously assaulted nearly a score of women on the streets in the last six months.

According to Chief of Detectives Armstrong Cowan carried an iron bar about a foot in length, a revolver and a supply of cartridges. It is said he answers the meagre descriptions of the man wanted.

Questioned by Captain Armstrong the prisoner said he had been persecuted by women. He said he came from Virginia and had lived here a year.

Of the three women assaulted last Friday night one is dead and another is dying.

CONTAGION AND INFECTION.

La Grippe is Infectious, but Not Contagious.

Contagious diseases are communicated from one person to another; infectious diseases are conveyed through the air.

Smallpox is a contagious disease; la grippe is infectious. When an epidemic of the grip is prevailing it is in the air we breathe and no one is safe.

The only safeguard is to keep the system in the highest possible condition of health and on the first appearance of a cold in the head to use some safe antiseptic like Stuart's Catarrh Tablets freely, a tablet taken every hour or two for a couple of days will be sufficient to break up the attack.

La grippe attacks the weakest part of the system; it may be the lungs, heart, liver, stomach or kidneys, but wherever it finally locates it almost invariably starts with cold in the head and throat, or, in other words, the disease at the beginning is acute catarrh.

This is the reason Stuart's Catarrh Tablets have been so successful in breaking up attacks of the grip. The antiseptic properties of the remedy destroy the germs before the whole system is thoroughly infected.

Dr. Anniston, says: Stuart's Catarrh Tablets being free from cocaine and harmful drugs, should be freely used at this time of year on the first appearance of grip symptoms.

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Dr. Lewiston says: My usual prescription for the grip is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, which can be found at all drug stores. Keep to the house for a day or two and use the tablets freely, and I have never heard any complaint of failure to cure.

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THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—May wheat opened today 1/8@1/4c lower to unchanged at 76 1/8c to 76 1/4@76 3/8c. Elevator people sold at the start, but the small northwest receipts caused covering by shorts and the market rallied sharply to 76 5/8c. Local receipts were 95 cars, none of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 210 cars against 367 last week and 592 a year ago.

There was a fair general trade in corn early. May opened 1/8@1/4c lower at 41 1/8c to 41c and sold to 40 7/8c because of the receipts, 653 cars. The decline brought out buying orders and a rally to 41 1/8c followed.

Oats were dull and influenced by other grains. May opened a shade to 1/8c lower at 25 3/8c to 25 1/4@25 3/8c, touched 25 1/4c, but rallied to 25 1/2c. Receipts were 448 cars.

Provisions were quiet, a trifle easier on local selling. May pork opened 2 1/2c lower at $14.17 1/2, and sold to $14.12 1/2; May lard unchanged at $7.55, dropping to $7.52 1/2, and May ribs unchanged at $7.15, declining to $7.12 1/2.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—Feb., 74 1/2@74 5/8c; March, 76 1/4@76 3/8c; May, 76 1/4@76 1/4c.

Corn—Feb., 39 1/4c; March, 39 3/8c; May, 41c.

Oats—Feb., 24 1/4@24 3/4c; May, 25 3/8@25 1/2c.

Pork—Feb., $13.90; May, $14.07 1/2; July, $13.95.

Lard—Feb., $7.42 1/2@7.45; March, $7.42 1/2@7.45; May, $7.47 1/2@7.50; July, $7.50; Sept., $7.62 1/2.

Ribs—Feb., $7.02 1/2; May, $7.07 1/2; Sept., $7.20@7.27 1/2.

Flax—Cash No. 1, $1.62 1/2; May, $1.62 1/2@1.64.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; market generally steady except poor to medium steers. Good to prime steers, $4.95@6.00; poor to medium, 3.50@4.90; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.50; cows, $2.60@4.60; heifers, $2.60@4.50; canners, $2.00@2.55; bulls, $2.40@4.20; calves, $4.00@6.40; Texas fed steers, $4.00@4.90; Texas grass steers, $3.35@4.00; Texas bulls, $2.50@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts today, 27,000; tomorrow, 30,000; left over, 2,282. Market steady to strong; top, $5.65. Mixed and butchers, $5.40@5.60; good to choice heavy, $5.50@5.60; rough heavy, $5.35@5.45; light, 5.35@5.55; bulk of sales, $5.50@5.55.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Feb. 26.—The market opened feverish and unsettled under the influence of conflicting movements in the Steel stocks. The sale of 5,000 shares of Steel and Wire carried that stock down from 43 3/4 to 43, compared with 45 last night. On the other hand American Hoop, on the sale of 5,000 shares, was quoted at 37 and 35 1/2, compared with 35 last night. National Tube rose 2 1/2. The other members of the group showed fractional changes both ways.

The changes in the railroad list were also mixed and the International stocks generally failed to respond to the advances in London.

Prices of the Steel stocks underwent rapid fluctuations following the publication of authorized details of terms on which the stocks of the various steel companies will be exchanged into the new United States Steel corporation.

A heavy selling movement developed while the street was analyzing the terms offered which drove Steel and Wire 2 3/4 below last night, the preferred and National Steel 1 1/2 and lowered American Hoop preferred and National Tube 2 points below the high price at the start.

Federal Steel preferred declined 1 1/2 from the best, while Tin Plate suffered a point. American Hoop receded to 35, but Federal Steel ruled better than at the start. Heavy liquidation of the Smelting stocks lowered them 5 and 3 1/4 respectively for the common and preferred.

In the general prices were easier for railroads, but Tobacco stocks were strong, American Tobacco rising 1 1/2 and Continental Tobacco 1 3/8.

Toward 11 o'clock there was a rise to 37 1/2 for American Hoop and Steel and Wire, National Tube, National Steel and Tennessee Coal recovered 1 1/2.

The general market also recovered and trading became dull. The railroads became generally strong. St. Paul was the leader and rose rapidly from 148 to 151 3/4. Such stocks as Burlington, Rock Island, Great Northern preferred, Pennsylvania, New York Central, Atchison, Kansas and Texas preferred, Northern Pacific, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific gained a point or over and Delaware and Hudson and Missouri Pacific were benefited 2 3/4 and 2 3/4 respectively. Minneapolis and St Louis stocks were active and the common rose 1 and the preferred 2 1/2. The Steel group was feverish and under steady pressure. Tin Plate lost 2 1/4 in all and Tennessee Coal, National Tube, Steel and Wire, common and preferred, 1 1/4. Steel stocks were at the lowest from 1 to 2 points under last night's close. American Hoop and General Electric ran off 1 and rallied sharply and Continental Tobacco preferred advanced 2 points. Bonds were lower.

THE MONEY MARKET.

New York, Feb. 26.—Money on call nominally at 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3 1/2@4 1/2 per cent; sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87 1/4 for demand and at $4.83 7/8@4.84 for 60 days; posted rates, 4.84 1/2@4.85 and $4.88; commercial bills, $4.84@4.84 1/2; silver certificates, 61 1/2@63; bar silver, 61c; Mexican dollars, 48 1/2c.

ABOUT THE COURT HOUSE.

The circuit court adjourned this morning until tomorrow. A number of cases set for today were settled out of court and in consequence an adjournment was taken.

The divorce case of Ormiston vs. Ormiston was settled out of court and dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

The supplemental proceedings in the case of the McCoy Lumber company vs. Osborne et al is on trial in the superior court with J. E. Harper sitting as special judge.

Frederick Koenig has commenced suit against William Bradtmiller for slander and fixes his damages at $5,000, for which sum he asks judgment. Koenig charges that Bradtmiller, in the presence of Charles Smith and others, charged him, Koenig, with having stolen his gun. Koenig says he knows nothing about Bradtmiller's gun and the statement that he had stolen it damaged his reputation to the extent of at least $5,000. Breen & Morris are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Sheriff Stout has received a letter from Redfield, Ohio, asking for information concerning one John Mulvey or Mulroy, supposed to be demented. No such person is known here.

The county commissioners will be in session again tomorrow forenoon.

This afternoon Ada Flint filed a complaint for divorce from William Flint. The complaint alleges that the two were married in 1877 and lived together for less than a year, when the plaintiff was obliged to separate from the defendant by reason of his cruel treatment of her, and that she has continued to live apart from him ever since and has since supported herself. No children issued from the marriage.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Charles J. Pelegrini and L. Janita Stone.

Oral W. Geisking and Myrtle A. Hyndman.

John T. Snyder and Cora B. Edgington.

Plennie A. Parker and Sophia Hays.

CANVASSERS AT WORK.

Only fragmentary reports of the work of the auditorium canvassers are as yet coming to the committee, but Mr. Thieme said this afternoon that these reports were of the most encouraging nature. Very nearly a full force of solicitors are at work.

LOCAL LINES.

The Retail Clothing Clerks' union will meet this evening.

Rev. Brose and Louis Bower, of Auburn, are business visitors in the city today.

Reid Dugan, of Richmond, who has been the guest of Fred Ash, has returned home.

Mrs. Emil Strauss, of Garth, Mich., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. Maitz, of West Jefferson street.

Reinhard Summers, who injured his back several days ago, has improved considerably and is again able to be about.

W. M. Swayne, of the firm of Swayne & Swayne, left today for Los Angeles, Cal., for the benefit of his health.

M. F. Eelger left on Monday for an extended trip through cities in the east in the interest of the C. L. Centlivre Brewing Co.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Kees, of Chicago—a son. Mr. Kees was formerly a boilermaker in the Wabash shops and is well known in the city.

Willis Bash was thrown from his buggy this afternoon, on Harrison street, by the breaking of an axle. He was not injured and the horse was caught before any damage was done.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Ernest Mauery, of Wakarusa, which occurred today. The deceased was a niece of Julius Dariot and Mrs. Peter Periguay, of this city, and had other relatives in Fort Wayne.

There will be evening services and preaching at St. John's Reformed church every Wednesday evening until Easter. The services will be held in the church and not in the schoolhouse, as announced last Sunday.

Mrs. Josiah King received word this morning that her niece, Miss Ethel Dinius, of Huntington, is very ill from appendicitis. Miss Dinius spent her vacation last summer with Mrs. King and has a number of warm friends in the city.

A WABASH WRECK

PASSENGER TRAIN DERAILED NEAR MILLERSBURG.

BROKEN RAIL CAUSED MISHAP

LARGE NUMBER OF PERSONS WERE INJURED.

MANY PHYSICIANS SUMMONED

SOME OF THE INJURED MAY BE FATALLY HURT.

Goshen, Ind., Feb. 26. Wabash limited train No. 9 jumped the track near Benton, Ind., today. Four cars left the track, and although nearly every passenger aboard the train was injured no one was killed. Among the injured are:

J. A. Seligman, baggage agent on Erie railroad.

Rev. J. W. Vanderlip, Ransom, Kas.

J. A. Lorimore, of Chicago, en route home from Canada; not series.

Mrs. J. A. Lorimore, hurt internally; will die.

Mrs. S. E. Barker, of Chicago, internally injured and badly bruised.

W. L. Gomez, Schenectady, N. Y., head badly cut.

Abraham Fowler, Corning, Mont., back believed to have been broken; will die.

H. Kusche, Wilkesbarre, Pa., bruised; not serious.

Mr. Koesche pulled Fowler out of the wreckage and probably saved his life, for a time at least.

Special trains were hurried to the scene from all nearby points, bearing surgeons and nurses. The injured were well cared for, and those not seriously hurt proceeded on their journey a few hours later.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 26. Advices received in Toledo this morning from Goshen, Ind., are to the effect that thirty persons were injured, two fatally, but that nobody was killed, by the wreck of Wabash passenger train No. 9, at Millersburg, Ind.

The train consisted of one combination car, three day coaches and two sleepers.

It was derailed by a broken rail, every coach and the engine leaving the track. The Lake Shore ran a special train from Goshen to the scene of the wreck, taking twelve doctors, and the regular train took four or five doctors from Ligonier.

Such of the passengers as were not injured were provided by the Lake Shore with tickets and went on to Chicago on the regular Lake Shore train.

In addition to its other courtesies, the Lake Shore sent a specially heated coach to the scene of the wreck to care for the injured.

SAYS TWELVE WERE HURT.

Wolcottville, Ind., Feb. 26. In the wreck of Wabash train No. 9, two and a half miles west of Millersburg, today, twelve passengers were severely injured, several of whom will die. All the passengers were more or less bruised and injured.

The engine passed safely over the broken rail which caused the accident, but the six cars comprising the train left the track and rolled down a steep fifty-foot embankment. Some of the coaches turned completely over several times. Details are coming in very slowly, as the wreck occurred three miles from a telegraph station.

TRAIN WAS LATE.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 26. Wabash train No. 9, which was derailed at Millersburg, Ind., at 9:15 this morning, left Detroit at 4:50 a. m. two hours late, carrying forty-four passengers. Advice received by Division Superintendent Burns says that while many of the passengers were hurt, no one was killed.

MEETING OF EDUCATORS.

Chicago, Feb. 26. Presidents of universities from all parts of the United States are here attending the annual convention of [illegible] superintendents of the National Educational association, which opened today at University hall, in the Fine Arts building. Representatives of fourteen universities which form the Association of American Universities began their second annual meeting in Haskell hall, at the University of Chicago, today. The subjects to be discussed are concerned mainly with the work of the graduate schools. Prior to the opening of the first session this afternoon the members of the association were entertained at luncheon by President Harper at the Quadrangle club.

Miss Alice Linam, the missionary from China who spoke in the city Sunday and Monday, has returned to her home at Leesburg. Miss Linam was the guest of Mrs. C. C. Schlatter.

It costs $13,146,000 per annum to run the government of [illegible].

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Lima and Crestline	[illegible]	[illegible]
New York and Wash'tn	[illegible]	[illegible]
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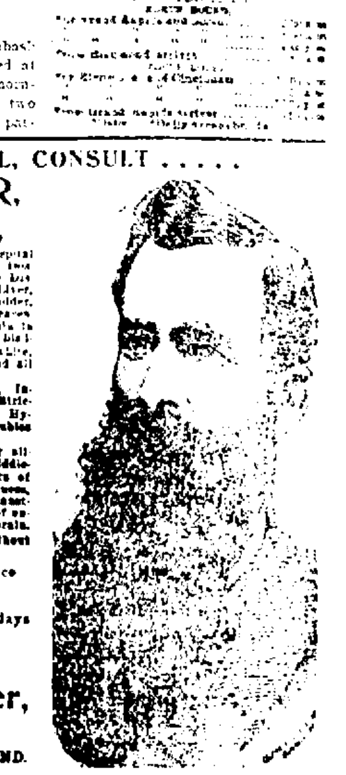

RECOVERIES FROM GRIP.

Mrs. E. I. Masters, at her home in Monitor, Ind., used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills to cure after effects of grip.

Mrs. A. E Lopeer, in the little town of Modella, Minn., used Dr. Miles' Pain Pills and Nerve and Liver Pills and was well in a few days.

George J. Flannery was relieved of the awful pains in his head in fifteen minutes by the use of Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. Now he is rapidly recovering at his home in Buffalo, N. Y.

J. C. Helfrey, foreman at the Westinghouse factory in East Pittsburg, had a severe attack of grip, but he used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pain Pills and was soon back in his place.

Rev. C. Body was in a serious condition at his home in St. Paris, O., but Dr. Miles' Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills pulled him through all right

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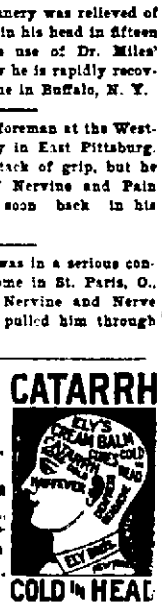

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RAMSAY'S PLANS

GENERAL MANAGER DEVISED PITTSBURG PROJECT.

MADE MANY SECRET VISITS

AND HAD ENTERPRISE UNDER WAY BEFORE DISCOVERED.

NEWS OF THE SHOP AND RAIL

NEW PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION OPERATOR ARRIVES.

Yesterday's Pittsburg Dispatch contained a lengthy account of the new Wabash project—a line into Pittsburg. The origin of the project and subsequent developments are thus given by that paper:

The Carnegie tonnage is not all that is assured, as it is understood that negotiations are now pending for the transportation of a large share of the immense tonnage of the Pittsburg Coal company, which has thousands of acres of virgin coal lands in Washington county which were purchased since the company was organized and which the new line pierces. The total tonnage that will be reached by the new trunk line and its terminals runs into the millions, and the road will enter Pittsburg under the most favorable auspices of any similar enterprise in the last forty years. Surveys for the road have been made, terminals have been secured and the scheme is far advanced toward the stage of perfection. The promoters, however, have guarded their project with the utmost jealousy and they have delayed the announcement to the public. They were unwilling yesterday that their secret should be divulged.

Joseph Ramsey, the real projector of the scheme, has been casting his eyes toward the heavy tonnage of the Pittsburg district for many years, and the rumors that the Wabash was intending to enter Pittsburg have become threadbare with age. No one believed that either Mr. Gould or Mr. Ramsey had serious intentions in this direction. About a year ago, however, Mr. Ramsey began making frequent and prolonged trips to his boyhood city, ostensibly on visits to his relatives and old friends.

It is said that on these trips he carefully planned for an entrance into the tonnage district, and frequent prospecting journeys were made to the great undeveloped territory south of the Monongahela river. The trips finally crystallized into the dispatching of surveying corps and for many months all of the available routes were inspected by both the surveyors and the promoters.

About the same time that these operations were started James S. Kuhn, president of the Pittsburg Bank for Savings; W. S. Kuhn, his brother, and E. K. Morse, a well known local bridge and construction engineer, began the preparation of plans for a complete and far-reaching terminal system, which they chartered as the Consolidated Terminal company of Pittsburg. The primary object of this system was to pave the way for the entrance of one or more trunk lines into Pittsburg, the need of which has grown so plain during the heavy business of the past two years that shippers have cried out in alarm. Plans reaching to every point where tonnage could be secured were prepared, and these included the linking up of the Monongahela connecting railroad of Jones & Laughlins, which crosses the Monongahela river at Soho on a bridge of its own, taps the Eliza furnaces of Jones & Laughlins, the Continental Tube works of the National Tube company, and several other mill properties along Second avenue that are consumers and producers of tonnage.

The Monongahela also runs up and down the southside, reaching every portion of the great mills of Jones & Laughlins. Its extensions down the river is easily possible, for heavy tonnage awaits it there. It is surprising, but it is said to be a fact, that this road operates between sixty and seventy-five miles of standard gauge tracks in the city limits. It operates ten or twenty locomotives and several hundred cars.

The Kuhn plans provide for the connection of the Monongahela with the Union railroad of the Carnegie Steel company, which runs from a point not far east of the Pittsburg city line at Baldwin station on up the south side of the Monongahela river through the Homestead steel works, on up to Duquesne and the Duquesne steel works, with lines across a great hot metal bridge at Rankin to the Carrie furnaces of the Carnegie company, and at Fort Perry to the Edgar Thompson steel works at Braddock. This Union railroad operates about eighty miles of track of its own and fifteen miles of leased track from Bessemer to North Bessemer, where the terminus of the Pittsburg, Bessemer and Lake Erie railroad is. The company operates about 100 locomotives and 200 cars and is owned by the Carnegie company, and may possibly become one of the important railroad properties of Mr. Morgan and the Standard Oil officials.

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is being demonstrated in the Crockery Department of
Rurode Dry Goods Co.,
In charge of Prof. Doyle and also at
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THREE UNFORTUNATES.

Three Wabash shopmen are temporarily disabled, the result of accidents yesterday. Machinist James Olive attempted to throw a belt off a pulley, when the fingers of his left hand were drawn between the pulley and belt and skinned and squeezed painfully. A. E. Arick, a laborer, had the bone of the little finger of his left hand broken by getting it between car wheels. E. J. Gephard, of the boiler shop, fell in a pit and suffered a sprained shoulder.

PREPARING FOR THE CHANGE.

Mr. J. G. Jennings, who is to succeed Mr. W. H. Tigar is chief train dispatcher of the western division of the Pittsburg, arrived here on No. 9 last evening. This morning he left upon a tour of the division to acquaint himself with the property and the men who will work under his directions hereafter. Mr. Jennings has been division operator at Cincinnati since January 1 1898. Previous to that date he was employed as operator and later dispatcher on the Cleveland and Pittsburg division. His first service was at Bellaire, Ohio. He is said to be one of the finest operators in the company's employ. Mr. Tigar is also out on the road today, arranging matters for the transfer of official authority. Friday he will assume the duties of his new office. Mr. Tigar also ranks with the most proficient in the telegrapher's line. He is, moreover, a most companionable man, and the men with whom he has been associated for so long hope his new duties will not take him out of the city permanently.

CHANGE IN DETECTIVE FORCE.

The Lima Times-Democrat of last evening published the following: "Detective Charles Rulo, of the Pennsylvania railroad police department, who has been located with his headquarters in this city for several months, is to be transferred to the Fort Wayne local force and will be succeeded here by Detective Charles Lamb, who for the past month has been with Captain Stoll in the service at Fort Wayne. The change will become effective tomorrow, and although Mr. Rulo's friends here will be sorry to learn that he is to be transferred, his successor promises to be equally the lion in ability and personality that has gained for Mr. Rulo the esteem of all whom he had met during his term of service here. Mr. Rulo's family lives in Fort Wayne and the change is made at his request in order that he may have more opportunity to be at home. Mr. Lamb's home is in Van Wert and he has only been in the service of the Pennsylvania company's police department for about one month, but he is not an entire stranger in Lima, being quite well known among the local members of the Maccabees and Pathfinder orders."

ON EDUCATIONAL TOUR.

Capt. H. M. Deihl and the Pennsylvania air-brake instruction car left at noon today for Wellsville, where the captain will commence instructing the employes of the Cleveland and Pittsburg road in the use and care of air brakes. The captain will continue the educational work until he covers the entire northwestern system, which may consume five or six months. The car was tested yesterday and found to be in perfect order. It is equipped with twenty-five air brakes.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

A. C. Davis is in Louisville, Ky., in the interest of the Pennsylvania company.

Shop Clerk J. H. Hobrock and his assistants at the Pittsburg shops were photographed today.

The Pennsylvania is pushing work on its third and fourth main line track between Harrisburg and Altoona.

Fred Kummer, wagon painter and varnisher, has resigned a position at the Olds Wagon works that he has filled for fifteen years. Thursday he will go to Toledo to take a position in the Toledo Carriage works. The young man is the son of Albert Kummer, machinist in the Pittsburg shops. He is an expert at his trade.

H. Jacobs, J. D. Wright, C. Donahue and A. Girard, Pittsburg shopmen, are off duty on account of sickness.

Nickel Plate Brakeman J. D. Lause has recovered from an illness which kept him from his duties on the road three or four weeks.

Engineer M. V. Shaver returned to his duties on the Nickel Plate yesterday, after an absence of ten days on account of sickness.

Lawrence Becker, machinist at the Kerr Murray works, has recovered from his recent illness, which kept him from work several days.

The Fort Wayne Electric company today shipped a magnificent marble switchboard to Boston, where it will be placed in the old court house.

John Rapine resumed charge of the Pittsburg transfer engine crew this morning, after an absence of three or four days on account of sickness.

Ben Bowers, of the Pittsburg car machine shop, is off duty. A splinter in one of his hands has made the member so sore that he cannot work.

Moses Moten, stationary engineer at the Kerr Murray works, resumed his duties there yesterday. A week ago Mr. Moten fell and was severely injured.

G. S. Jordan has resumed his duties on the road, after an absence on account of the grip. Mr. Jordan is an engineer on the Lake Erie and Western road.

Firemen E. Heater and J. B. Lane resigned their positions on the Nickel Plate yesterday to engage in other work. They have worked on the road since last fall.

Brakeman T. J. Raridon is indulging in the pastime of juggling stovepipes, bedsteads and other pieces of household furniture. He is moving nearer the yards.

T. J. Murphy has taken a position in the train service of the Nickel Plate. For several years he occupied a similar position on the Grand Rapids and Indiana road.

William Lohmeyer, a moulder at the Bass foundry, was presented with a son yesterday. He is taking a lay off in order to properly celebrate the advent of the little fellow.

Brakeman J. W. Weigel has been transferred from Conductor Samuel Grable's through freight crew to the local freight crew of Conductor Van-Meter, on the Nickel Plate.

Assistant Foreman Frank J. Burns resumed work at the Pittsburg roundhouse this morning. He was confined to his home over a week with an acute attack of quinsy.

Fred Willson resumed his duties in the electric offices this morning. He was in St. Paul taking treatment from a noted physician, who says Fred will soon be as well as ever.

Conductor T. H. Seaney and Brakemen C. M. Marshall, W. B. Pierce and M. E. Baum reported for work on the Nickel Plate yesterday. The latter had been visiting friends out of the city.

The Packard company last week received orders from the Pacific coast country for three car loads of pianos. This and other orders places the factory in good shape as far as employment is concerned.

The Big Four has abolished the office of superintendent of terminals at Indianapolis and G. W. Bender, who occupied that position, has been made general agent of the company at Sandusky, Ohio.

On March 1 Robert Dudgeon will retire as superintendent of the Buffalo division of the Lackawana, and will be succeeded by C. J. Phillips, formerly a superintendent on the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific.

By straightening its tracks, the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern road has been enabled to clip off two hours of the time consumed in making the run from Cincinnati and St. Louis. The distance is 334 miles.

A train load of United States soldiers, en route to the Philippines, passed through the city this morning. They were delivered to the Wabash at New Haven by the Nickel Plate. Col. R. G. Thompson, of the Wabash, accompanied the soldiers to St. Louis.

George and Edwin Gould are at New Orleans discussing the question of having five boats built in the interest of the Gould lines to operate between New Orleans and New York. George Gould is quoted as saying if the enterprise is undertaken he intends to have the steamers as fine as can be built.

Engineers G. W. Rhodes and H. Kelker and Fireman J. Larimore, of the Pittsburg, are off duty on account of sickness.

Engines 156, 266, 260, 328, 191, 352 and 185, all of the G-4-A pattern, are in the Pittsburg shops for general repairs.

Machinist W. S. Wells, of the Pittsburg, will leave tomorrow for Peru to attend a grand lodge meeting which convenes there Thursday morning.

Bert Keplinger, clerk at the electric light offices, is suffering from appendicitis. The attending physician hopes to avert the necessity of an operation.

The McKinnie house is making preparations to furnish supper Saturday evening to 225 Chicago school children, who are going to the McKinley inaugural at Washington.

Conductor W. F. Koontz and Brakeman J. H. Furate, of the Pittsburg, are off duty on account of injuries sustained by falling. Mr. Furste slipped off the caboose step and dislocated the knee cap.

E. G. Erikson, who is now chief of one of the engineering departments of the Pennsylvania company, with headquarters at Sewickly, returned to that city last night. While here he arranged to move his family to Sewickly this week.

Representatives of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen are conferring with officials of the New York Central over nonpayment of overtime. The matter will likely be settled satisfactorily, although the shortage is said to be in some cases $20 to $30 a month.

Indianapolis Journal: "Joseph Ramsey, vice president of the Wabash, has issued a statement that the proposed line connecting the Toledo and Detroit divisions will be completed by October. When completed it will give the Wabash a short line between Toledo and Chicago."

M. L. Sykes, vice president and secretary of the Chicago and Northwestern, has tendered his resignation, to become effective June 1, and E. G. Osborn has been selected as his successor. Mr. Sykes has held his present position thirty-one years, and retires on account of advanced age.

John Miller, a former passenger conductor on the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, arrived in the city last night for the purpose of packing up and moving his household effects to Oaklahoma. Mr. Miller has secured a good position on a railroad in the territory and expects to make that his future home.

Conductors W. F. Kuntz, P. A. Sullivan and J. P. Haley and Yard Brakeman J. P. Doyle, of the Pittsburg, are off duty on account of sickness. Conductors Granger and R. A. McCarthy and Brakemen C. Fissel, J. S. Harper, Charles Downs and J. P. Doyle, of the same road, reported for work yesterday, after being on the sick list a few days.

J. V. Gruber called at the Kerr Murray works yesterday to see his shopmates. Mr. Gruber was injured several weeks ago by jumping from the Commercial house window, in Kewanna, Ill., to escape from a fire which was raging in the building. He has not yet fully recovered from the injuries thus sustained, but is improving and will soon be able to resume work.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers has decided to contest the plan of a Chicago publishing house to force subscription books on the Erie railroad engineers. The chairman of the grievance committee is authorized to proceed to Chicago to secure the legal talent. The monthly pay of many engineers has been attached at Port Jervis by the publishers for books alleged to have been ordered two years ago.

"When the grip left me my nerves and heart were badly affected, but I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure and was soon all right."—Wm. Boericht, Eau Claire, Wis.

"I was given up to die from heart and nervous troubles caused by grip. Six bottles each of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nervine cured me."—Mrs. John Wollet, Jefferson, Wis.

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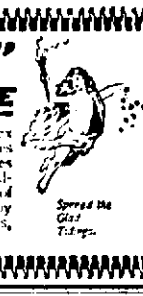

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If I had Grip I would use Dr. Miles' Pain Pills and Dr. Miles' Nervine.
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Tell your druggist you must have Omega Oil and nothing else. He will get it in one to get it for you. The Omega Chemical Co., 178 Broadway, New York, will mail you a bottle, prepaid, anywhere in the United States for 50c in cash, money order or stamps. 232

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Another Big Consignment of Silks to be Sent to Wayne Dry Goods Co., Which Means Another Big Week of Silk Selling. . . . . .

So great was the success of our BIG CONSIGNMENT SILK SALE the importers have asked us to take another big lot to run off at the same unheard-of prices.

This time, they say, the stock they will send us will not only be larger, but will contain even greater bargains than the one which created so much surprise and delight at our store last week.

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The scores of people who have spoken to us of their disappointment at not getting some of those wonderful bargains.

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Wayne Dry Goods Co.,
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Sing a song of dollars, pockets full of tin;
Four and twenty parents brought their small boys in.
When those boys went out again, dressed in clothes so neat,
Parents still had lots of money; small boys' clothes were cheap.
All heavy suits, top coats and reefers discounted 20 per cent. until next Saturday night.
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Every man and woman can do it by having their clothing made by G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 57 East Berry Street. 27tf

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To make Spring and Summer dresses. Milder weather is coming and all nature is preparing for it. The time is at hand when we shall doff winter clothing and don spring wear. This store is ready in every department to meet all demands.

Don't Hesitate

If you are wise, you will buy now. The best things are picked up early. Now you will find assortments complete and you can look leisurely and secure the gems while the brightness is on them.

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The New Ginghams are here, more serviceable and beautiful than ever before and priced so reasonable that buying them will be a pleasure. There is a new waist material here called Silk Chambray, that is very handsome, as well as the newest styles in Toile du Nord Ginghams, Bates Seersucker Ginghams, Madras and Zephyr Ginghams, etc., prices at 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c a yard.

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In the new Challies and Waist Cloths. The designs are beautiful. The colorings choice and the fabric exceedingly fashionable. We price them at 35c, 30c, 50c, 38c and 75c a yard.

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Of getting insured when your house burned—that is a story you often hear when a man has lost his home by fire. Procrastination is a thief of time, so be wise today and insure your property before it is too late. An insurance policy is the kind of a friend in need that you will appreciate. I will insure you in the best companies at the lowest possible rate of premium. I also offer the best bargains in vacant and improved real estate.

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If so, you want to buy the celebrated Dunlap or Stetson Hats. They are the best hats made.

P. S.—Our $2.50 Hats beat any $3.00 Hat sold in the city.

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Will Make It Easy for You

To patch up your winter suit with a pair of new trousers. We will during this month close out our heavy-weight trouserings that sold at $7 and $8 for six dollars. They are strictly pure worsted, the latest patterns, and twenty styles from which to make your selections. See our window display of these trouserings.

Maulner & Co.
52 CALHOUN ST.

The Evening Sentinel.

TUESDAY, FEB. 26, 1901.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Forecast for Indiana: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; variable winds.

LOCAL LINES.

Christian Andrews, of Chicago, is the guest of friends in the city.

Attorney B. F. Harper has returned from a business visit in Angola.

Mrs. A. Bayer, of St. Mary's avenue, is confined to her home with a dislocated wrist, the result of a fall.

Will Young, of the Packard music store, will go to Washington, D. C., on Friday to witness the inauguration of President McKinley next week.

The steel girders for the new Third Presbyterian church will arrive this week and work on the structure, which has been suspended for some months, will be resumed.

W. Peckham, of Ohio, who was operated upon by Dr. W. H. Myers three weeks ago at St. Joseph's hospital, left that institution for home Monday, completely recovered.

The Progressive Aid society of the Spiritualists will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Powers, 166 East Wayne street, on Wednesday afternoon. The subject, "Evolution of Religion," will be discussed.

The Ladies' auxiliary to the O. R. C. will be entertained Wednesday afternoon and evening at the home of Mrs. Tom Coleman, 76 John street. Mrs. Coleman will be assisted by Mrs. McGee. The husbands of the ladies are invited in the evening.

Mrs. Manyan, of Monroeville, was operated upon five days ago and the operation, a most serious one, involving the removal of the appendix and an abdominal tumor, made her recovery extremely doubtful. The operation was successfully performed by Dr. W. H. Myers, assisted by Drs. Mentzer and Young, and her friends will be gratified to know that she is recovering.

The sale of personal property, including farming implements, milch cows, etc., the property of Thomas Turflinger, is in progress this afternoon. A large number of Fort Wayneites are in attendance. Mr. Turflinger assumes his position as superintendent of the poor farm a week from Monday. March 4th will witness the inauguration of two great men. Mr. Turflinger weighs over 300 pounds and President McKinley weighs some.

David McNaught, the Fort Wayne athlete who is studying at Wabash college, in Crawfordsville, figured prominently in the recent dual track meet held at the university. Mr. McNaught captured first in the twenty yard dash and third in the shot put, his competitors being athletes from two of the leading colleges of Indiana. In honor of his victory he was admitted to membership in the Phi Delta Thea fraternity, an honor never before conferred on a freshman at the college. Mr. McNaught is a member of the university athletic team and will be one of the representatives of Wabash college at the great international athletic meet to be held at Buffalo during the Pan-American exposition this year.

PINEAPPLES. MALAGA GRAPES. ORANGES AND LEMONS.

Extra Florida Pineapples, 30c each.
Fresh Malaga Grapes, 20c lb.
Choice California Oranges, 20c doz.
Extra Naval Oranges, 30c dozen.
Florida Russett Oranges, 35c dozen
Fancy Baldwin Apples, 40c; Greenings, 45c peck.
Extra large California Celery, 9c stalk.
Fresh Cape Cod Cranberries, 12c qut.
Choice Bermuda Onions, 12c qut.
Large Spanish Onions, 5c lb.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

FREE EMBROIDERY LESSONS AT MISS LOWRY'S.

A one week's course of free embroidery lessons by expert Japanese teacher begins Monday, March 4th. For particulars inquire this week at new store, 98 Calhoun street, opposite Fruit House. 26-eod-3t

FRESH MEATS—FISH.

Fresh Pickerel, 9c lb.
Fresh Smoked Salmon, 14c lb.
Selected Yarmouth Bloaters, 2½c each.
Genuine Holland Herring, 2½c each.
Large Family White Fish, 10c each
Genuine Cod Fish Bricks, 7c lb.
Selected Cod Fish Middles, 12c lb.
Extra Large Fat Mackerel, 25c each.
Nice Fat Mackerel, 10c each.
Shoulder Cuts, Beef Roasts, 8c lb.
Best Cuts, Sirloin Steaks, 12½c lb.
Best Boiling Beef, 5-6c lb.
Fresh Pork Shoulders, 8c lb.
Fresh Neck Bones, 2½c lb.

GREATEST GROCERY CO.

HE RECOVERED HIS HORSE

LIVERYMAN FULTON FINDS A STOLEN ANIMAL.

Was in a Wabash Livery Stable, Where It Had Been Left by Two Boys Last Thursday.

C. W. Fulton, the livery man, returned last evening from Wabash, where he went to recover a horse and buggy stolen from him by a young fellow who hired it last Tuesday evening. The horse was found at the livery barn of George Freeman at Wabash, where it had been left. The buggy had been traded for a sleigh at Huntington, so Mr. Fulton drove back to Huntington in the sleigh and then got his buggy and drove home. The horse had been left at the Wabash stable by two boys who, however, evidently became frightened and skipped out, as they were never seen afterwards, and there whereabouts at present are unknown. A buffalo robe, which the boys had sold, was also recovered by Mr. Fulton.

The trade for the sleigh was made at the livery barn of Waltermire & Black, of Huntington. On Thursday morning two young men drove up to the Harter barn at that city and stated that they were from Elmore, Ill., and were on their way to Kalamazoo, Mich. They wanted to trade their buggy for a sleigh, but Mr. Harter thought there was some crookedness connected with the deal, and would not trade. The young men then went to the barn of Waltermire & Black, where they succeeded in making a trade.

Mr. Waltermire stated that he supposed the boys were honest and that they told a straight forward story. They said they were brothers and their names were Robinson. They claimed they were going to Michigan to secure work. Their buggy was perfectly clean and this caused Mr. Waltermire to suspicion something, and he asked them how they could drive all the way from Illinois and keep their buggy so clean. They said they had lain over a few days at Wabash and had driven up that morning. The boys seemed to be telling an honest story and Mr. Waltermire made the trade, giving the boys a sum of money to boot. The boys left the barn at 4 o'clock that afternoon and said they would drive to South Whitley and put up over night, and then make the start for Kalamazoo. They had two grips with them which they said contained their clothing.

They did not go to South Whitley, but went to Wabash, where they put up at the barn of George Freeman. They said they would call for the outfit later. In the meantime Mr. Freeman received a telegram from Sheriff Stout stating that a horse and buggy had been stolen there and that it was headed toward Wabash. The Wabash liveryman telegraphed back that he thought he had the outfit, the only difference being that the buggy must have been swapped for a sleigh. Word was immediately sent to Huntington, and then the whole thing was made clear.

MORE SMALLPOX CASES.

Cases of smallpox were reported by the county health officers at No. 170 Brackenridge street and 261 East Creighton avenue and last night smallpox cards were put up. This makes a total of nine cases in the city at this writing, the Oliver, Lasselle and Superior street cases having been released from quarantine. The occasional cases reported in the city this winter, while in no wise epidemic in character, nevertheless speak volumes for the urgent need of a hospital for contagious diseases. Dr. Drayer, who was in Indianapolis a few days ago, speaks eloquently of the benefits of such a hospital as is maintained at the state capital. There when a case of smallpox is discovered the patient is taken to the hospital, the house is disinfected and the inmates vaccinated and that is about all there is to it. The hospital itself is a model. It is clean and comfortable and in every way better equipped in the way of comforts and nurses than any home possibly could be and the mortality rate is reduced to a minimum.

FATHER DIED IN FORT WAYNE.

A dispatch from Marion says that Catherine Frederickson, aged 13, staying at the home of her sister, Mrs. Edward Stevens, that city, yesterday was told that she must return to her mother's home at Montpelier. The girl replied that she would die first. She went to a drug store, bought ten grains of morphine, took eight grains and died at 10 o'clock last night. Her father died at Fort Wayne and her mother moved to Montpelier. Another sister, Mrs. Albert Champion, lives at Dunkirk.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Harrison, of 557 East Washington street, are confined to their home with severe illness.

FIRM FOUNDATION.

Nothing Can Undermine It in Fort Wayne.

People are sometimes slow to recognize true merit and they cannot be blamed, for so many times in the past they have been humbugged. The experience of hundreds of Fort Wayne residents expressed publicly through newspapers and other sources places Doan's Kidney Pills on a firm foundation.

Mr. S. E. Beck, of 104 Ewing street, says: "Ever since I had my foot cut off six years ago I had symptoms of kidney trouble. I don't know whether it was the shock of the accident or the effects of the operation, but whichever it was, I had kidney complaint, and try what I would I could not get relief until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Meyer Bros. & Co.'s drug store and began taking them. My back ached very bad at times and I could hardly stoop. The first few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills did me a great deal of good, and in a short time the symptoms disappeared."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

EMPLOYERS SIGNING SCALE

CONTRACTORS AND CARPENTERS GETTING TOGETHER.

Meeting Held Last Evening at Which Many Signed Wage Agreement for One Year.

Between thirty-five and forty of the contractors and builders of the city have, it is learned, signed the wage agreement prepared by the Carpenters' union which is to govern wages to be paid during the coming building season.

A meeting of the contractors and the carpenters was held last evening at the Olympia Band hall in the Tri-State building, and a number of the contractors attached their signatures to the agreement recently prepared by the Carpenters' union, agreeing that the scale for the coming year shall be 35 cents per hour for journeymen carpenters, 25 cents per hour for second grade workmen, and 20 cents per hour for apprentices who have served two years at the trade. The agreement provides that the scale shall go into effect April 1, and shall be effective for one year.

This is the scale formulated some time ago and submitted to the contractors, and up to this time only about half of the employers have signed it, though one of them today expressed the belief that very nearly all would do it before April 1. The wages heretofore have been around 25 cents, and another contractor, who has not yet signed the new agreement, stated that he doubted if all the leading contractors would do so.

DUE AT ALEXANDRIA TODAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fox and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dreier, who are making a tour of Europe and the Holy Land, are due to arrive at Alexandria, Egypt, today. John Mohr, jr., has just received a card from Mr. Fox. It is dated at Madeira, Feb. 7, and reads:

"Our first stop was a revelation. This in unquestionably the quaintest place I ever saw. The above picture (a crude sledge drawn by oxen) gives you some idea of how we glided around the town. Business men slide down the hills on sledges in the morning when they go to their business. We have two days here. We had a good voyage and all are well. We will drink a little Maderia to your health at dinner today."

If you think of anything of ours that you want to make yours—better make the change this week during the sale.

REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

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That dispirited feeling caused by an impaired digestion is easily banished by the use of Grain Kernels, the vitalized cereal.

Miss May Sheridan has removed her Dress Making Parlors to 153 W. Washington St.

Davenports and Couches Spring Line Just Received.

Just now the rage for elegantly furnished parlors are the wide, long, luxurious Davenports. We have placed on sale this week the greatest assortment of them ever shown in Fort Wayne. They are upholstered in the newest coverings and are simply "out of sight."

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Couches...

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New Parlor Pieces in Latest Coverings.

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Spring Carpets are Beautiful.

We have the largest, lightest and best arranged Carpet Department in the city.

No "jobs," "ends" or auction carpets in our stock. The "Best Out" are none too good for the customers of the "Big Store." Every "gem" of the season is in our line.

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CHEAP RATES TO CALIFORNIA.

February 12th and each Tuesday thereafter, until and including April 30th, special low rate Colonist tickets will be sold via the Southern Pacific Company's "Ogden" and "Sunset" Routes to all points in California.

The rate will be: From Chicago, $30.00; from St. Louis, Memphis and New Orleans, $27.50; from Omaha, Kansas City, etc., $25.00. Corresponding low rates from all other points east and north.

For particulars and detailed information pertaining to the Southern Pacific Company's Routes and these special rates to California, call upon or address, W. G. Neimyer, G. W. A., S. P. Co., 238 Clark St., Chicago, Ill.; W. H. Connor, C. A., S. P. Co., Chamber Commerce bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio. 26tf

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On Real Estate or Personal Security. C. F. Pfeiffer, Rooms 6-7, Bass Block. 2tf

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Prices—25c, 35c and 50c.

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